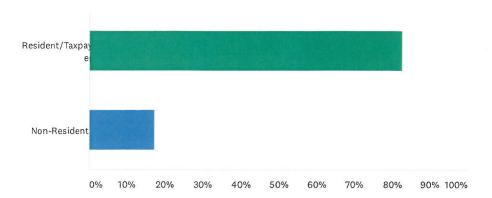
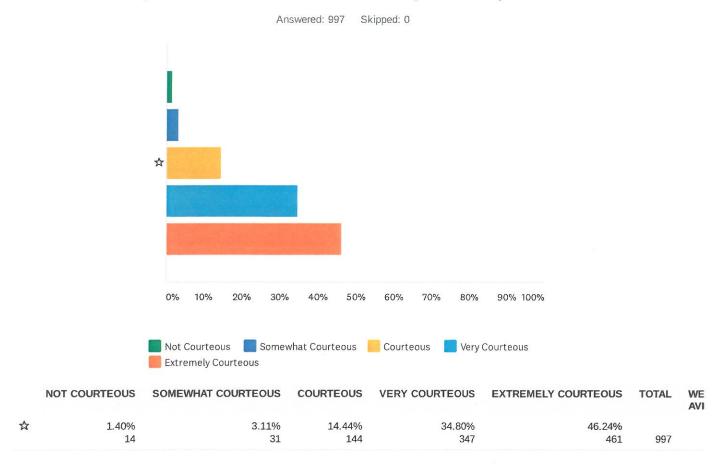
#### Q1 Are you a Resident/Taxpayer of Narragansett or a Non-Resident?

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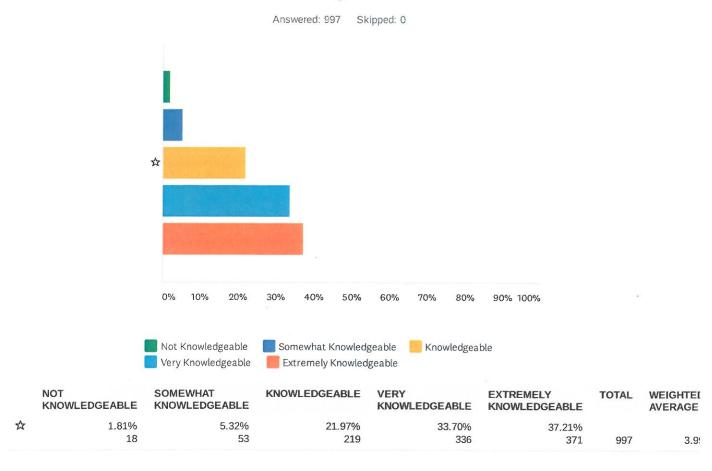


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Resident/Taxpayer	82.55%	823
Non-Resident	17.45%	174
TOTAL		997

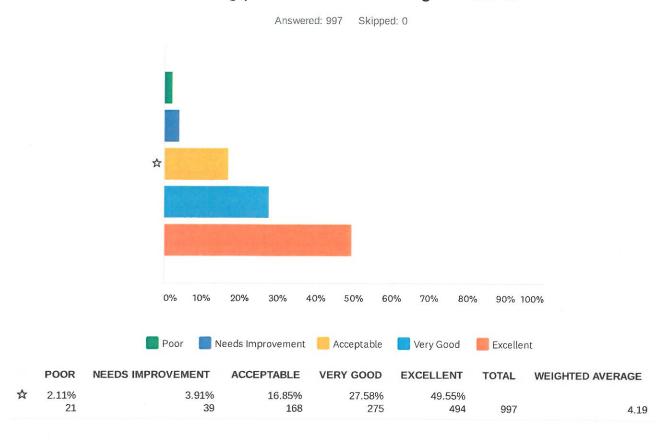
### Q2 How courteous were the beach staff members on a scale of 1-5, with 1 star being not courteous and 5 stars being extremely courteous?



## Q3 How knowledgeable were the beach staff members on a scale of 1-5, with 1 star being not knowledgeable and 5 stars being extremely knowledgeable?

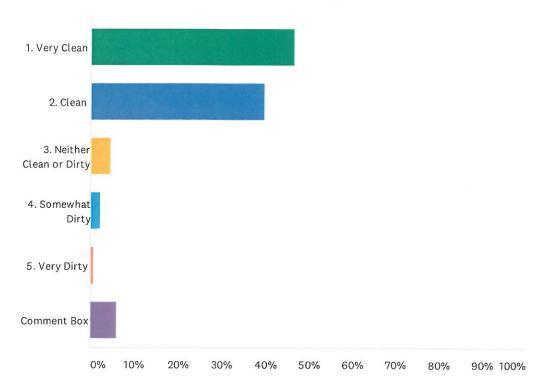


### Q4 Please rate the Sales Office customer service on a scale of 1-5, with 1 star being poor and 5 stars being excellent.



### Q5 Please rate the overall cleanliness of Narragansett Town Beach. Please use the comment box for more details.





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1. Very Clean	46.74%	466
2. Clean	39.82%	397
3. Neither Clean or Dirty	4.61%	46
4. Somewhat Dirty	2.21%	22
5. Very Dirty	0.60%	6
Comment Box	6.02%	60
TOTAL		997

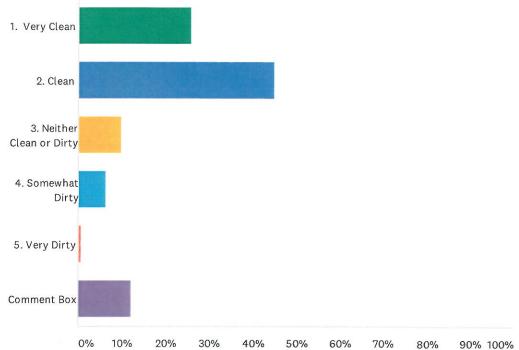
#	COMMENT BOX	DATE
1	North Pavilion very clean South Pavilion only clean	9/17/2021 11:40 AM
2	The first weekend after Labor Day was crowded with dogs. Owners did not pick up the dog waste/crap. It was truly disgusting. Dogs should be off the beach until Oct. 1.	9/14/2021 10:20 PM
3	kids left tons of trash	9/13/2021 2:46 PM
4	Teenagers leaving trash behind is a problem for staff and beach goers.	9/13/2021 1:55 PM
5	The managers tried to keep the beach clean but when crowded, trash often left by kids, etc	9/13/2021 1:10 PM
6	with the beach employees constantly keeping the trash barrels empty you could tell the beach patrons appreciated that and always threw away their trash	9/13/2021 10:26 AM

7	With the exception of the groups of teenagers leaving their trash on the beach and walking away from it.	9/13/2021 10:00 AM
8	seaweed build up from raking at end of Chair 6 should be removed from beach	9/11/2021 9:51 AM
9	Cleanest beach I have seen	9/9/2021 2:34 PM
10	Every morning the beach is raked and immaculate. There is never any trash on the beach. The staff stays on top of this throughout the day.	9/9/2021 2:15 PM
11	Too many people.	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
12	The was often debris on the beach this summer.	9/8/2021 5:34 AM
13	Very clean - would love to encourage guests to clean up whenever they find trash!	9/7/2021 8:47 PM
14	Some patrons are just a problem!	9/6/2021 8:20 PM
15	Trash left on the beach	9/6/2021 12:49 PM
16	The Beach and No Pavillion were kept extremely clean. Thank you!	9/6/2021 11:16 AM
17	Bathrooms are old and the soap never works	9/5/2021 1:52 AM
18	More announcements should be made reminding people to place their trash in the proper receptacles.	9/2/2021 11:56 PM
19	The beach is generally clean the exception to this is at the water line. There is often trash that goes undetected by the beach staff, they should periodically walk and pick up this area.	9/2/2021 8:44 PM
20	more trash cans needed or emptied more often	9/2/2021 7:38 PM
21	Best beach in RI	9/2/2021 7:13 AM
22	south pavilion wasn't as kept up as north pavilion	9/2/2021 5:09 AM
23	The beach was somewhat clean this year however there was an abundance of discarded mail- in ballots blowing around every time I visited this summer. I understand the need to print thousands and thousands of these ballots but there should be a better system in place for disposal of the unused ones.	9/1/2021 7:29 PM
24	It's very clean and well organized!	9/1/2021 11:57 AM
25	I consider the vehicles ON THE BEACH EMITING EXHAUST FUMES, ENDANGRRING CHILDREN AND RUINING THE CALM OF THE BEACH TO BE OBJECTIONABLE POLLUTANTS	9/1/2021 10:28 AM
26	No idea	9/1/2021 10:13 AM
27	If buckets and those trash pick up things were provided, I'd clean up trash as I walk, but don't currently want to touch items with bare hands.	9/1/2021 8:42 AM
28	Note for the first few questions when I starred one answer, the form auto starred all the ones above it. I tried fixing it, it won't allow only one to be chosen.	9/1/2021 6:54 AM
29	Very clean	8/31/2021 11:41 PM
30	Excess trash overflowing	8/31/2021 10:29 PM
31	The staff does a good job cleaning up and managing if any beach goers get unruly	8/31/2021 10:14 PM
32	Mostly clean some of the patrons are trashy	8/31/2021 9:45 PM
33	You can't help when patrons leave trash on the beach, but I think the beach is relatively clean.	8/31/2021 8:07 PM
34	The trash left behind by some beach goers is a disappointment.	8/31/2021 6:57 PM
35	Very well maintained! Great crew.	8/31/2021 5:41 PM
36	Do a wonderful job	8/31/2021 4:41 PM
37	People don't always take their trash with them - the seagulls are very agressive because people feed them and there is trash left around	8/31/2021 4:03 PM

38	Very clesn	8/31/2021 3:40 PM
39	Joe Harvey did a fantastic job!	8/31/2021 3:09 PM
40	Better than it's ever been in my 50 years.	8/31/2021 3:05 PM
41	1	8/31/2021 3:03 PM
42	Only so much staff can do when people don't use trash cans.	8/31/2021 2:43 PM
43	At times, people left litter behind.	8/31/2021 2:04 PM
44	so many masks, banana peels/fruit debris, Bandaids, it was gross	8/31/2021 12:09 PM
45	No fault of the staff. It is clean every morning. Folks leaving trash on the beach with trash bins easily accessible still boggles my mind	8/31/2021 11:35 AM
46	Always impressed how clean the beach is.	8/31/2021 11:05 AM
47	Much better than years past. No trash overflowing.	8/31/2021 11:05 AM
48	This is the cleanest beach in the NorthEast	8/31/2021 10:49 AM
49	The beach has been clean. The only comment would be the changing rooms could be cleaned prior to opening of season.	8/31/2021 10:45 AM
50	Horrible! Trash everywhere on beach and lot.	8/31/2021 10:43 AM
51	People still litter, alot!	8/31/2021 10:38 AM
52	Need to have someone monitor the foot bath/shower area right next to stairs. It's gets very muddy and sandy and needs to be washed down often . Otherwise, as soon as you clean your feet , your walk righ back into a muddy/wet area. Very aggravating.	8/31/2021 10:37 AM
53	Exceptional!	8/31/2021 10:34 AM
54	More sweeping needed on sloping walkway at north pavilion, safety hazard for handicap such as crutches, canes, walking boot casts, etc	8/31/2021 10:06 AM
55	Beach is very clean but am wondering if there's a way to patrol the beach and cite those teens who gather in large groups and always leave their trash. How can we stop that behavior?	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
56	The beach was very nice. We truly enjoyed our 1st year as Narragansett residents and the ability to use the beach.	8/31/2021 9:56 AM
57	tourists have no respect	8/31/2021 9:54 AM
58	The beach is groomed every day and looks beautiful. On closer inspection, there is a lot of plastic debris on the beach. The town should provide messaging to the public about this problem. Weekly beach cleanups could encourage beach goers to be part of the solution. It is not difficult to get people to help if they have the tools and encouragement to participate.	8/31/2021 9:49 AM
59	Bathrooms were not as clean as in previous years	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
60	Showers in the North pavillon get nasty	8/31/2021 9:26 AM

### Q6 Please rate the cleanliness of Narragansett Town Beach restrooms. Please use the comment box for more details.





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1. Very Clean	25.98%	259
2. Clean	45.04%	449
3. Neither Clean or Dirty	9.83%	98
4. Somewhat Dirty	6.32%	63
5. Very Dirty	0.70%	7
Comment Box	12.14%	121
TOTAL		997

#	COMMENT BOX	DATE
1	North Pavilion very clean South Pavilion only clean	9/17/2021 11:40 AM
2	For public restrooms they are quite clean. The staff does a good job.	9/15/2021 11:01 PM
3	The north lot? Near chair 5& 6. Clean. The other bathrooms- vert dirty.	9/14/2021 10:20 PM
4	The bathrooms were clean; however, there should be a separate unisex bathroom for those individuals who need assistance while using the facility. My husband is handicap and needs assistant while using the bathroom and I could not bring him in the ladies room nor did I feel confortable using the mens where the handicap stall was inside the mens room.	9/13/2021 2:12 PM
5	Sometimes there was no soap. It would be nice to have disposable toilet seat covers in the ladies restroom	9/12/2021 5:43 PM

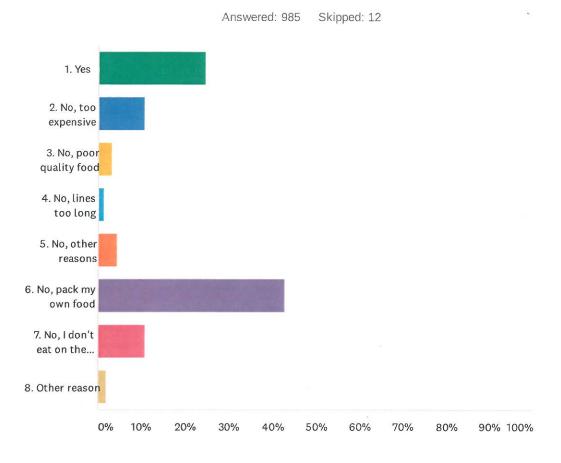
6	The ladies bathroom was often dirty	9/12/2021 9:12 AM
7	soap dispensers often empty	9/11/2021 9:51 AM
8	For the amount of people using them I understand its very hard to keep it spotless constantly	9/9/2021 6:23 PM
9	Best ones we have used	9/9/2021 2:34 PM
10	There has never been an occasion when I have used the ladies room and it was dirty. In fact, there is always ample soap and necessaries in the ladies rooms.	9/9/2021 2:15 PM
11	The North Pavilion seems cleaner, probably because they are newer	9/8/2021 4:43 PM
12	Too many people.	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
13	womens room needs hourly cleaning	9/8/2021 9:35 AM
14	Good job given the volume	9/8/2021 12:07 AM
15	N/a	9/7/2021 11:16 PM
16	Don't know	9/7/2021 4:50 PM
17	North pavillion a little cleaner than South. Better lighting,etc	9/7/2021 10:54 AM
18	Only used the North Pavilion	9/7/2021 9:10 AM
19	didn't use	9/7/2021 7:27 AM
20	NA	9/6/2021 10:03 PM
21	Bathrooms getting sandy/muddy and the day goes by. Maybe mid day hosing could help	9/6/2021 4:22 PM
22	Did not use	9/6/2021 12:49 PM
23	The No Pavillion bathrooms are kept very clean. Thank you!!	9/6/2021 11:16 AM
24	Never used it.	9/6/2021 10:32 AM
25	Later in the day they become less clean	9/5/2021 2:17 PM
26	See comments in the previous question	9/5/2021 1:52 AM
27	Need more handicapped rails in bathrooms.	9/4/2021 5:38 PM
28	did not usecannot anwer	9/4/2021 1:44 PM
29	By afternoon they were pretty bad	9/4/2021 1:07 PM
30	Not as clean as prior 2 years. Some days were pretty bad. Cleaning bathrooms is a job no one wants to do, so explore hiring a company solely to staff bathroom cleaning. So there is total accounability	9/3/2021 4:46 PM
31	There was a sharp decline this year in regard to the bathrooms- which became really bad at times.	9/3/2021 12:08 PM
32	i didn't use them	9/3/2021 10:54 AM
33	Don't use them	9/3/2021 10:38 AM
34	Do not use the restrooms at the beach. At least 1 outside shower usually not working by Aug.1	9/2/2021 11:56 PM
35	Not as clean as years past	9/2/2021 9:16 PM
36	There were some toilet paper holders that were not filled in a timely manner	9/2/2021 11:05 AM
37	Did not use restroom	9/2/2021 11:04 AM
38	did not use	9/2/2021 9:30 AM
39	Did not use	9/2/2021 6:37 AM
40	north pavilion much cleaner	9/2/2021 5:09 AM

41	Didn't use	9/1/2021 11:21 PM
42	Did not go in	9/1/2021 7:50 PM
43	The restrooms were clean but too many kids were playing BALL. The kids they play the BALL everywhere and it's distracting when you sit on the toilet. TOO MANY DARNED KIDS PLAYING BALL IN THIS TOWN. We should pass a law that says no more than three unrelated on the beach.	9/1/2021 7:29 PM
44	N/A	9/1/2021 4:45 PM
45	Many days clean but also many days where toilets and stalls were very sandy	9/1/2021 4:15 PM
46	staff did good work cleaning, however users could have been better.	9/1/2021 3:35 PM
47	I have not used the restrooms	9/1/2021 3:34 PM
48	Hi	9/1/2021 2:30 PM
49	The restrooms are always clean!	9/1/2021 11:57 AM
50	Did not use restrooms	9/1/2021 11:55 AM
51	didn't use them	9/1/2021 11:54 AM
52	W	9/1/2021 11:17 AM
53	Did not use	9/1/2021 10:28 AM
54	No idea	9/1/2021 10:13 AM
55	Did not use	9/1/2021 7:32 AM
56	Never used the restroom	9/1/2021 6:51 AM
57	didn't use	9/1/2021 5:26 AM
58	Didn't use	9/1/2021 12:07 AM
59	Wish they were open later or maybe you could put up a port a potty?	8/31/2021 11:48 PM
60	Didn't use them	8/31/2021 11:17 PM
61	North restrooms were great,,,south not so much (only used them once)	8/31/2021 10:18 PM
62	Don't use	8/31/2021 10:16 PM
63	never used them	8/31/2021 9:04 PM
64	Always Cleaning and Courteous!	8/31/2021 8:32 PM
65	You can't help when patrons leave the bathrooms dirty, but it would be nice to have a dedicated employee to do the bathrooms like you used to 2 years ago.	8/31/2021 8:07 PM
66	Depends on day of week, time of day.	8/31/2021 7:11 PM
67	The North Pavilion bathrooms are always in an impressively clean state!	8/31/2021 6:57 PM
68	Bathrooms should be open until 8 every night	8/31/2021 6:50 PM
69	Need more side supports in bathrooms. People monopolize it who don't need it. They change clothes in it even though there are changing rooms. Handicapped people then need to use a restroom with the railing.	8/31/2021 6:36 PM
70	Not used	8/31/2021 5:54 PM
71	This year the restrooms have had a lower level of upkeep than previous years.	8/31/2021 5:50 PM
72	N/A Didn't use, but I think beach and facilities crew at NTB are top-notch.	8/31/2021 5:41 PM
73	Not used.	8/31/2021 5:27 PM
74	South pavilion needs a lot of work. I'm a resident with my locker there but I frequent north pavilion bathrooms on my walks. Much better. Time for a redo of south pavilion restrooms	8/31/2021 4:38 PM

75	did not use	8/31/2021 4:30 PM
76	Sometimes the floor was clean, other times it was dirty. It was never consistently clean or dirty.	8/31/2021 4:25 PM
77	Did not use.	8/31/2021 4:19 PM
78	Never used	8/31/2021 3:57 PM
79	Bathrooms great	8/31/2021 3:40 PM
80	We did not use them this year	8/31/2021 3:15 PM
81	Never used it	8/31/2021 3:05 PM
82	Didn't use	8/31/2021 2:17 PM
83	Never used	8/31/2021 2:04 PM
84	Never used them	8/31/2021 1:22 PM
85	Do not know	8/31/2021 1:15 PM
86	I never used the restroom	8/31/2021 12:50 PM
87	Did not use	8/31/2021 12:37 PM
88	Didn't use them	8/31/2021 12:35 PM
89	did not use	8/31/2021 12:16 PM
90	Did not use	8/31/2021 12:15 PM
91	I aume there a a hortage of help thi year a the bathroom at North ere not a clean a year pat. Not filthy, jut not nearly a clean. oap dipeneeren't filled many day.	8/31/2021 11:57 AM
92	Bathrooms could be cleaned more often	8/31/2021 11:34 AM
93	North Beach very clean- south not quite as much but had more crowds	8/31/2021 11:17 AM
94	here are some pretty disgusting patrons.	8/31/2021 10:58 AM
95	Staff does an excellent job considering the number of people using the facilities on a daily basis particularly in a beach environment.	8/31/2021 10:49 AM
96	Didn't allow to use	8/31/2021 10:43 AM
97	N/a	8/31/2021 10:41 AM
98	Didn't use	8/31/2021 10:40 AM
99	Tough job, done well!	8/31/2021 10:38 AM
100	I did no use the restroom	8/31/2021 10:34 AM
101	cleanish, but times used it very wet and sandy (but kind of expected)	8/31/2021 10:33 AM
102	Clean but just not as good as prior years	8/31/2021 10:27 AM
103	There are several trash cans and they are changed regularly.	8/31/2021 10:18 AM
104	Never use them.	8/31/2021 10:13 AM
105	Never used	8/31/2021 9:59 AM
106	Soap not always filled.	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
107	Haven't used	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
108	I did not use them.	8/31/2021 9:51 AM
109	n/a - never used the restrooms	8/31/2021 9:50 AM
110	Bathrooms are pretty sandy and gross by the afternoon. Also, soap runs out!	8/31/2021 9:49 AM
111	N/A	8/31/2021 9:47 AM

112	Depends on the time of the day	8/31/2021 9:43 AM
113	N/A	8/31/2021 9:40 AM
114	Did not use	8/31/2021 9:39 AM
115	Didn't use	8/31/2021 9:38 AM
116	Did not use	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
117	Depends on when you get there.	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
118	Don't use	8/31/2021 9:30 AM
119	Don't know	8/31/2021 9:29 AM
120	I didn't go in	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
121	Never used them	8/31/2021 9:26 AM

### Q7 Did you use the food and beverage concession? Please use the comment box for more details. Please choose all that apply.



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1. Yes	24.77%	244
2. No, too expensive	10.66%	105
3. No, poor quality food	3.05%	30
4. No, lines too long	1.32%	13
5. No, other reasons	4.47%	44
6. No, pack my own food	42.84%	422
7. No, I don't eat on the beach	10.96%	108
8. Other reason	1.93%	19
TOTAL		985

#	COMMENT BOX	DATE
1	once only because it's SO expensive	9/16/2021 2:20 PM
2	I would use it more if it were not as costly, but usually pack food.	9/15/2021 9:14 PM
3	The food offered isn't very healthy	9/12/2021 9:12 AM

4	or we enjoyed food trucks	9/10/2021 12:33 PM
5	or we enjoyed food trucks	9/10/2021 12:29 PM
6	Wish they had hot chocolate for the concert	9/9/2021 8:36 PM
7	Loved it when could order online from beach. And just pick it up when ready	9/9/2021 6:29 PM
8	N/A	9/9/2021 6:23 PM
9	Only on occasion and the sandwiches were good.	9/9/2021 2:15 PM
10	Expensive- needs more healthy choices	9/9/2021 7:09 AM
11	Only purchased Del's	9/8/2021 7:05 PM
12	Only used when not busy.	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
13	poor service, too expensive, too expensive, slow, too expensive, minimal options	9/8/2021 9:35 AM
14	Other than being a bit slow, food was good. Used 5-6 times	9/8/2021 8:47 AM
15	Didn't use it to much as it is very expensive	9/8/2021 7:25 AM
16	Love the Nitro Brew in the morning!	9/7/2021 8:50 PM
17	Good quality food	9/7/2021 8:34 PM
18	The food was horrible this year, over-priced and poor quality.	9/7/2021 12:54 PM
19	the hotdog buns are awesome	9/7/2021 8:09 AM
20	Ordered medium cheeseburgers for family and they came out cool and raw. Will not use food facility in North Pavilion again	9/6/2021 9:17 PM
21	Not a good selection of healthy food.	9/6/2021 8:48 PM
22	Need more variety for breakfast and lunch at affordable cost	9/6/2021 4:22 PM
23	Over \$5 for a small iced coffee???? No variety at the No Pavillion. I go there only when I'm desperate. Bring back the wraps and sandwich options.	9/6/2021 11:16 AM
24	But it is too expensive. Please consider other vendors	9/5/2021 2:17 PM
25	Many reasons; usually eat beforehand and take snacks to the beach. From what I heard, food concession is expensive but I do not know from personal experience. Never went.	9/4/2021 7:12 PM
26	Food is expensive so used very infrequently	9/4/2021 1:07 PM
27	Great burgers. Prices a little high.	9/3/2021 5:35 PM
28	Too expensive, long lines	9/3/2021 10:47 AM
29	Not enough healthy choices.	9/2/2021 11:56 PM
30	Pricey	9/2/2021 9:16 PM
31	No, not much for vegetarians.	9/2/2021 4:48 PM
32	Grandchildren love it!	9/2/2021 3:25 PM
33	No healthy choices like in years past	9/2/2021 9:48 AM
34	Rarely used as prices were high and selection limited	9/2/2021 5:30 AM
35	Too expensive	9/1/2021 11:19 PM
36	I'm vegetarian	9/1/2021 9:47 PM
37	I tried to use the food stand but I thought I was at Fenway park . Way to expensive!	9/1/2021 8:59 PM
38	quality and pricing could have been better	9/1/2021 3:35 PM
39	I wasted all my money to sit on the beach and park so no money for concessions	9/1/2021 1:52 PM
40	Food truck night regularly	9/1/2021 1:17 PM

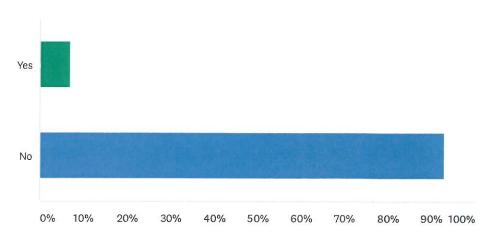
41	On a diet right now, but next summer I'll eat there!	9/1/2021 11:57 AM
42	Very expensive	9/1/2021 11:31 AM
43	Too far away	9/1/2021 10:28 AM
44	Nope	9/1/2021 10:13 AM
45	Food was great, but definitely pricey.	9/1/2021 9:11 AM
46	Salty's has been a great improvement. Would be sad if they were not renewed again.	9/1/2021 9:03 AM
47	Only once but was excellent.	9/1/2021 9:00 AM
48	I paid \$7.50 the other day for a Gatorade and a water. Seems excessive - almost ballpark prices	9/1/2021 8:31 AM
49	Amazing staff this year at saltys!	9/1/2021 7:35 AM
50	only use Del's	9/1/2021 7:06 AM
51	As a senior living in Kingston I would appreciate being able to buy a season pass as I was able to do years ago for \$50.00. I do not need that to include parking although a reasonable parking fee in the lot across the street from the pavilion would be a good option. I have been going to the Pier beach for 79 years.	9/1/2021 6:54 AM
52	I was there on a food truck night, so we got food from the trucks.	9/1/2021 6:54 AM
53	Food is not healthy.	9/1/2021 4:43 AM
54	Limited menu	8/31/2021 10:32 PM
55	I do think it is somewhat over priced, but I appreciate that the wraps are freshly made.	8/31/2021 10:28 PM
56	Love the food truck nights	8/31/2021 10:23 PM
57	All of the above	8/31/2021 10:16 PM
58	Bring back the fish tacos!	8/31/2021 9:39 PM
59	Expensive and not good.	8/31/2021 8:50 PM
60	Used it often, with delicious 🕲 food and hard working staff.	8/31/2021 8:32 PM
61	I did order a grilled cheese but it was expensive	8/31/2021 7:59 PM
62	Prices on food was high this year but we understand due to covid. My kids enjoy going to the concession stand "alone". Everyone is always friendly and the food is good.	8/31/2021 7:45 PM
63	Over \$5 for a store brand hotdog and \$6+ hamburger	8/31/2021 7:16 PM
64	Food is average at best.	8/31/2021 7:11 PM
65	Always get a Dell's [	8/31/2021 7:10 PM
66	A bit expensive	8/31/2021 7:03 PM
67	The options do look good, though, where someone could get a healthy option if desired.	8/31/2021 6:57 PM
68	Salty's \$7.00 iced coffee is offensive. The pervious merchant was significantly better. Prices are too high.	8/31/2021 6:36 PM
69	Not as good a selection of food as other years.	8/31/2021 6:36 PM
70	You can't chose all that apply. Survey only accepts 1 check.	8/31/2021 6:15 PM
71	I bought ice cream treats one day; a little too expensive to make it a common purchase	8/31/2021 6:14 PM
72	Not open when I use the beach. Love that you have food truck events.	8/31/2021 5:41 PM
73	Only once. Good but pricey.	8/31/2021 5:31 PM
74	Would be great to have more vegan options	8/31/2021 4:42 PM

75	Expensive	8/31/2021 4:41 PM
76	Great being able to have good food at the beach!	8/31/2021 4:29 PM
77	Open way too late! No coffee in the AM	8/31/2021 4:29 PM
78	VERY expensive and lack of selection (north pavilion). it was first and last I will buy lunch at the beach. I was shocked at the prices. And the very limited selection made matters worse.	8/31/2021 4:28 PM
79	Just so you know - I could not select more than one. I also fell the food is too expensive and takes too long to get your food.	8/31/2021 4:25 PM
80	Best in years!	8/31/2021 4:19 PM
81	Only had one experience and it was ok	8/31/2021 4:03 PM
82	Wish there were healthy choices	8/31/2021 3:45 PM
83	Food was good. Freshly made so sometimes took a little time but not bad	8/31/2021 3:40 PM
84	Food very good	8/31/2021 3:07 PM
85	I didn't try it	8/31/2021 3:05 PM
86	Undercooked burger turned me off	8/31/2021 2:52 PM
87	I alternate between the concessions and packing a lunch. Concessions are fine.	8/31/2021 2:43 PM
88	Good	8/31/2021 2:17 PM
89	Yes, but was surprised at how expensive it was. Couldn't even buy 2 meals for \$20.	8/31/2021 1:26 PM
90	I found the selection to be good. I'd prefer a few more "healthy" and lighter options. As tempting as ice cream donuts are, not really the kind of food I like to eat when in bathing suit and actively swimming/surfing at the beach. More wraps, veggie, hummus, etc would be preferred. Only went to the Food Trucks once this year, but found the selection to be adequate.	8/31/2021 1:17 PM
91	Very expensive though.	8/31/2021 12:51 PM
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110	Kids would but a snack but it's expensive. Understand with cost of food but \$6 frieslittle steep	8/31/2021 10:07 AM
111	Where would my grandchildren be without those grilled cheese sandwiches and fries. Love the concession stand.	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
112	Prices seem high, but I'm getting old, so	8/31/2021 9:55 AM
113	Did get Del's when with grandchildren.	8/31/2021 9:53 AM
114	\$\$\$ and super limited	8/31/2021 9:52 AM
115	LOVE this amenity the most! Good food, great value! Would love more veggie-friendly options next year :)	8/31/2021 9:50 AM
116	All the food is fried. It would be great to have lighter options, fresh fish or grilled chicken tacos, salads, fresh fruit, etc	8/31/2021 9:50 AM
117	Expensive, so I didn't use it much	8/31/2021 9:47 AM
118	It was a little pricey, but very tasty.	8/31/2021 9:47 AM
119	The question says to "Choose all that apply" but you can only choose one. I would have selected $\#1$ , $\#2$	8/31/2021 9:44 AM
120	Yes but it just overpriced. Quality of food was an issue on one occasion	8/31/2021 9:43 AM
121	Gotta love that greasy food!	8/31/2021 9:42 AM
122	The high prices and slow service has kept me away for years.	8/31/2021 9:41 AM
123	If prices were just a little lower, I would think sales would increase, therefor, more profit.	8/31/2021 9:39 AM
124	Didn't use this year	8/31/2021 9:39 AM
125	Expensive	8/31/2021 9:37 AM
126	Very expensive	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
127	Too many people with no masks	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
128	Good burgers!	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
129	We wish there were healthy items to choose from	8/31/2021 9:33 AM
130	food was very good.	8/31/2021 9:33 AM
131	Only used once, lines typical too long and food choices not great and expensive for what they are	8/31/2021 9:28 AM
132	Food quality is inconsistent.	8/31/2021 9:27 AM
133	The prices are high, but we pay for the convenience of not carrying lunch.	8/31/2021 9:27 AM
134	Very poor selection this year. No gluten free or healthy selection, just overpriced bad food.	8/31/2021 9:27 AM
135	Have used in years past though	8/31/2021 9:25 AM
136	Was never hungry to do so.	8/31/2021 9:24 AM

# Q8 Did the COVID-19 crisis prevent you from using the beach or any of the beach facilities this year? If you choose yes, please use the comment box for details.





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	6.92%	69
No	93.08%	928
TOTAL		997

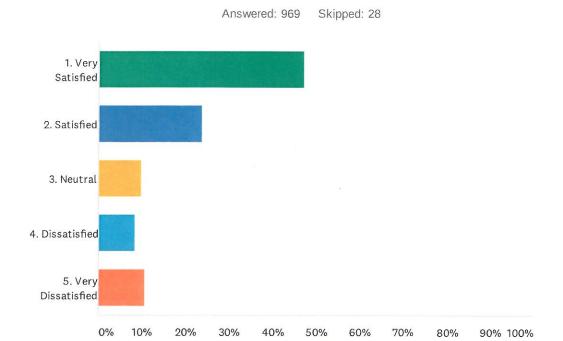
#	COMMENT BOX	DATE
1	safety concern	9/17/2021 11:40 AM
2	weekends too crowded	9/14/2021 8:45 AM
3	there was no social distancing on weekends	9/13/2021 2:46 PM
4	On very crowded days it was not possible to distance at all and therefore we would have to leave	9/13/2021 1:10 PM
5	I did feel at times, especially in June and weekends that the beach was overcrowded and that people sat much too close to one another.	9/13/2021 10:00 AM
6	Overcrowding posed concerns about Covid infection and limited our use of concessions etc	9/12/2021 9:12 AM
7	Stayed away from food concession	9/11/2021 12:50 PM
8	Sometimes it was way too crowded and we chose not to go	9/9/2021 10:07 AM
9	kept to off hours and off days.	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
10	Tried not to use bathrooms much	9/8/2021 7:25 AM
11	to crowded on weekends	9/7/2021 6:59 PM
12	Stayed away from oth we people	9/7/2021 4:50 PM
13	Too Crowded and people sitting on top of you.	9/6/2021 8:48 PM
14	Blanket to blanket conditions during a pandemic are a danger	9/5/2021 3:10 PM
15	I don't really use the facilities	9/3/2021 10:38 AM
16	Avoided standing in line when I could.	9/3/2021 3:10 AM

17	Did not use the beach on weekends.	9/2/2021 11:56 PM
18	The virus itself didn't not however the continued parking restrictions make it difficult. I live in SK and find it actually quite unpleasant to try to find parking now during the summer	9/2/2021 11:04 AM
19	Too crowded	9/2/2021 5:35 AM
20	Limited access and parking for non residents	9/1/2021 11:20 PM
21	I went to the beach often however there were some days I just felt too afraid. There were too many virus particles floating around the beach this year and it really should be mandatory for everyone to wear a mask even while in the water. I understand that some people are not able to wear masks but they should be made to wear biohazard suits as a substitute. I have honestly never seen a beach with so much virus and the only time I felt safe on days I did go was when I was wearing double cloth mask over my eyes. The mask is really effective at blocking virus and to prove this just put it over your eyes and you cannot see the virus anymore.	9/1/2021 7:29 PM
22	Avoided very busy times such as July 4. Left beach early if it seemed to be getting too crowded. Avoid south pavilion due to large numbers seated there.	9/1/2021 1:50 PM
23	Beach seemed overly crowded this year, but spread out nicely on weekends	9/1/2021 12:23 PM
24	Outside is always safe during Covid-19 Crisis!	9/1/2021 11:57 AM
25	Due to the shameful excuse of excluding lifelong south county residents from accessible parts of beach	9/1/2021 10:28 AM
26	Was more careful this year.	9/1/2021 9:45 AM
27	Parking and access has been restricted.	9/1/2021 8:25 AM
28	Too crowded at times	9/1/2021 6:51 AM
29	We did not use the beach on weekends when we felt it would be more crowded.	9/1/2021 6:48 AM
30	only went a few times.	9/1/2021 5:54 AM
31	Too crowded with out of towners	9/1/2021 5:14 AM
32	On crowded days, social distance was non-existant	8/31/2021 11:54 PM
33	Way too crowded	8/31/2021 10:43 PM
34	avoiding crowds	8/31/2021 10:41 PM
35	Only thing preventing me from using the beach was the gross privatization of the facilities.	8/31/2021 10:37 PM
36	Hours too restrictive with parking	8/31/2021 10:29 PM
37	The staff was great about managing crowds and social distancing during Covid	8/31/2021 10:14 PM
38	Too crowded, no masks	8/31/2021 9:22 PM
39	Too crowded on some days to feel safe	8/31/2021 8:58 PM
40	There seemed to always be a ton of people so often went elsewhere	8/31/2021 8:30 PM
41	Only went to the beach when it was not overcrowded	8/31/2021 8:23 PM
42	i live in Wakefield, 10 minutes from the beach and would purchase a season pass but I am not allowed so I only use the beach when its free, in the evenings	8/31/2021 8:14 PM
43	Ever since covid began, I used the beach rarely even though I'm a mile away.	8/31/2021 8:07 PM
44	Many people would sit on top of you social distance not enforced by management	8/31/2021 7:16 PM
45	Found it less crowded than last year. Keeping the lots residents only helps	8/31/2021 7:10 PM
46	Delta variant	8/31/2021 6:08 PM
47	Used during off-hours. Hope any covid-related restrictions will be lifted when not needed. Prior surveys show some residents sought to make restrictions permanent, not for covid but to	8/31/2021 5:41 PM

serve their goals of exclusion.

48	Parking was restricted during COVID. Looking forward to the restrictions easing	8/31/2021 4:36 PM
49	Cost of walking on beach is absurd	8/31/2021 4:27 PM
50	I can't believe people think they're going to get COVID at the beach. lol.	8/31/2021 4:12 PM
51	Enough space	8/31/2021 3:40 PM
52	I was quarantined	8/31/2021 3:02 PM
53	Too damn crowded	8/31/2021 2:52 PM
54	Consession not covid	8/31/2021 2:44 PM
55	Yes, so did all of the "covid restrictions" from last year that remained in place for no reason.	8/31/2021 2:37 PM
56	The only thing that deterred us was lack of non resident parking (SK resident).	8/31/2021 2:33 PM
57	I came to the beach but not for nighttime activities.	8/31/2021 2:06 PM
58	absolutely not. we used it more because we did not travel this summer and thoroughly got the most out of our beach passes this year.	8/31/2021 1:17 PM
59	The restrooms	8/31/2021 12:50 PM
60	I would leave when it was too crowded. Like keeping north lot closed after 5	8/31/2021 11:08 AM
61	Tried to go once but it was over packed, all lots full, not safe at all. Fights in front of my kids was a deal breaker not family friendly	8/31/2021 10:43 AM
62	We would have liked to use the beach more often this summer, but felt that the crowding of the beach by day trippers mad it safe to go.	8/31/2021 10:31 AM
63	Probably used the beach more to have outside activities	8/31/2021 10:30 AM
64	Not at all - felt very comfortable	8/31/2021 10:18 AM
65	We did not use the beach until late afternoon (3;30-4:00 pm to avoid the crowds).	8/31/2021 10:08 AM
66	Did not use during most crowded days or conditions.	8/31/2021 10:03 AM
67	too crowded	8/31/2021 9:54 AM
68	Covid has been over for a long time & I'm sick of hearing about it	8/31/2021 9:54 AM
69	Stayed on the beach as much as possible	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
70	Some days beach just too crowded for comfort	8/31/2021 9:28 AM
71	Just a couple of times when beach seemed crowded	8/31/2021 9:28 AM
72	The people who come into this town are nuts	8/31/2021 9:26 AM

### Q9 How satisfied were you with the parking lot rules and hours for residents and taxpayers? Please use the comment box for more details.



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1. Very Satisfied	47.37%	459
2. Satisfied	23.84%	231
3. Neutral	9.80%	95
4. Dissatisfied	8.36%	81
5. Very Dissatisfied	10.63%	103
TOTAL		969

#	COMMENT BOX	DATE
1	Parking for residents is GREAT	9/16/2021 2:20 PM
2	With warmer weather in September I have been unable to find a parking spot in the north lot. I think that lot should be automated and keep it open for residents until the end of September. Allow free parking in the south lot after labor day	9/16/2021 11:28 AM
3	I think more non-residents should be allowed to park in the south lot on days where there are excess spaces	9/15/2021 11:01 PM
4	All the people before lot opens on the beach free I have to a wait until lot opens and would go earlier. Parking passes should be used until October 1. Maybe should charge for parking all year. ( less during off season)	9/14/2021 10:20 PM
5	shoulder season parking for residents	9/14/2021 8:45 AM
6	couldn't get a spot twice on crowded weekend	9/13/2021 2:46 PM
7	Please keep attendants on gates after 5. Worked very well	9/13/2021 1:10 PM
8	Should keep south lot open for residents until 7pm	9/13/2021 10:48 AM

9	DO NOT CHANGE A THING NEXT YEAR AND SUBSEQUESNT	9/13/2021 10:26 AM
10	Keeping the Cabana, North and South Lots for only residents and taxpayers until 8 pm will help to cut down on overcrowding and increase safety. People that access the beach illegally before it opens should not be allowed to do so. There used to be a system in place where people were checked for wrist bands and this should be reinforced. Overcrowding isn't safe or enjoyable for anyone. It makes evacuating and lifesaving more difficult as well. The facilities are dirty because of this too.	9/12/2021 9:12 AM
11	I don't agree with keeping the north lot parking fir residents only after 5pm. Many evenings this lot was mostly empty while cars were driving around in the south lot looking for a space as it was packed. What's the point of this??	9/11/2021 11:33 PM
12	beach parking lot should NOT be open in the morning before staff arrives and should not be unstaffed at 5:00 or 6:00 for nonresidents to come in as they are using the faciltiies and garbage that taxpayer/ pay for. Free walk ons should not be allowed at anytime as big groups come on to beach afterhours and do not clean and tax payers are paying for the clean up.	9/11/2021 9:51 AM
13	I really like the fact the the north pavilion parking lot remained residents only until 7:00 PM. I would, however, like to see the lots open a little earlier.	9/11/2021 9:01 AM
14	I think there should be some - synergy with Rhode Island Salt Water Anglers Association - to offer a "dusk" pass - for 5pm till the guard leaves. I have relatives that come to fish at dusk - and can't park. It's a bummer. Make a hang tag - that allows a RISAA members to access parking starting at 5pm.	9/9/2021 10:01 PM
15	Thank you for opening the south and west lots to the public after 5 o'clock . I feel it shows that non-resident are also welcome in Narragansett	9/9/2021 6:23 PM
16	I believe the south lot, north lot and cabana lots should be for residents only until 8:00 pm every day. It is a town beach for residents! We should have this privilege. We work all day and after work want to take our families to the beach for a pizza. At 5:00 pm the lines are down the street with nonresidents trying to get into an already full lot. Residents ask very little of their government. The beach should be available to us This will also cut down on overcrowding which is a major problem. The beach is shringing and the people who want to use our beach is increasing. There is only a finite amount of space on the beach. In order to provide a safe environment for all, residents and visitors alike, we CANNOT continue to overcrowd our beach!! Many other nearby communities have imposed limits on the number of patrons who can come onto the beach. This is similar to going to a Celtics game. When all seats are filled there are no more tickets sold. It is so unfair to all of us who pay our share to enter the beach only to see each morning at either 7:15 or 8:15 the beach being full of freeloaders who are unwilling to pay for the services our town provides!! It is a slap in the face to all who play by the rules and pay their fair share. This is insulting to all in our community. We need to check them in each morning and charge them admission or ask them to leave. Why have rules if we don't enforce them??	9/9/2021 2:15 PM
17	I found that keeping the parking lots for residents until 8:00 provided for town residents the opportunity to enjoy the beach after work hours and for families to enjoy the beach for dinner. Once the parking lots open the beach becomes overcrowded. I also appreciate keeping the lifeguards on duty until 6:00.	9/9/2021 1:55 PM
18	The lot should open earlier for residents and taxpayers	9/9/2021 11:26 AM
19	keeping two lots available for residents was great	9/9/2021 10:49 AM
20	We liked the all resident after hour parking that we had in the 2020 beach year. We both work outside of Narragansett and loved that we could always find parking after five to bring our dinner to the beach and enjoy	9/9/2021 10:07 AM
21	Having one lot open to non-residents in the evening makes sense and is fair. There're insufficient demand to keep the north and south lots limited to residents after 5pm	9/8/2021 7:05 PM
22	Should offer passes for sale to NK & SK residents as well	9/8/2021 12:42 PM
23	Staff was not very accomodating	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
24	It is outrageous that the parking lot is not maintained for residents until the end of September. There is no reason you can't have 4 workers to maintain both lots to make it more convenient for residents. The day after Labor Day we were lucky to get a spot.	9/8/2021 10:18 AM

25	Thank you for adding the turn lane so we can wait when lot is full.	9/8/2021 9:35 AM
26	Week after Labor Day must be better controlled by Town with same summer rules - otherwise good	9/8/2021 8:47 AM
27	Except I think the parking lot should be open at 5 for everyone, especially the nights of food trucks	9/8/2021 7:25 AM
28	I enjoyed the rule last year more where all residents including those without stickers could park in the lots after 5pm.	9/8/2021 5:34 AM
29	The beach should go back to its old policies~ locking the beach down until 7 is ridiculous I regularly go at night and the resident lot is never even close to 1/2 full ~ residents love that the rule exists but only because it excludes others.	9/8/2021 12:07 AM
30	ALL lots save for the cabana lots should be free after 5pm. Nobody owns the ocean, everyone should get to enjoy the beach. Those who come after 5 still contribute to our town economy by spending money in surrounding businesses. Restricting access to some lots beyond 5pm only acts as a barrier to less wealthy and predominantly non-white families. Narragansett beach is becoming too elitist.	9/7/2021 11:16 PM
31	I don't like the arbitrary 10 empty spaces before people can come into the north parking lot	9/7/2021 8:34 PM
32	Stayed away from other people as much as possible	9/7/2021 4:50 PM
33	Lots should be restricted to residents and taxpayer till 8 pm. This is helpful for crowd control and safety	9/7/2021 4:23 PM
34	Still having to show up early to beat weekend overcrowding.	9/7/2021 12:59 PM
35	The Town Council should have kept the hours and rules as they were in 2020. The Cabana, North and South Lots should be for residents and taxpayers only until 8 pm. The beach was less crowded, cleaner, and safer in 2020. Our family was able to enjoy the dinner hours at the beach for the first time in years during summer 2020. Another issue is the people who access the beach for free before it opens. In past years, beachgoers were checked for their wristlets on the beach early in the morning after the beach opened. If they didn't have a wristlet, they were told to go pay. There is a greta deal of parking congestion in the Pier neighborhoods due to people coming early to get on the beach for free.	9/7/2021 12:54 PM
36	People get on the beach for free before it opens. Staff used to check for wrist bands after the beach opened and if you didn't have a wrist band, you had to go and pay the fee. This should be re-instituted as the beach is losing money mostly from non-residents.	9/7/2021 11:05 AM
37	Much better than prior years	9/7/2021 9:10 AM
38	You should charge premium for non-residents to park in the big lots on slow days.	9/7/2021 8:09 AM
39	Early beach opening and 5 - 8pm free parking is unacceptable. You go you pay. That's extra wear on the facilities that we all pay for one way or another. I know the current Town Council loves to give everything away for free; but much like their time in office - all of it needs to end.	9/7/2021 7:56 AM
40	The parking lot hours allowed residents to use the beach for an extended time. I personally would like the beach to open earlier since I walk daily at 7:30.	9/7/2021 7:17 AM
41	The lots should be free for all at 5:30	9/6/2021 10:03 PM
42	I believe all the lots should be staffed from 7:00 AM to 8:00PM. This allows those that are residents to take advantage of the beach after work. I went several times after work at 6:00PM and sometimes the lot was staffed and other times people were just coming in the lot because it was not staffed. The beach is spillway to crowded, it is a town beach and should be for town residents!!	9/6/2021 8:48 PM
43	Excellent! And fair!	9/6/2021 8:20 PM
44	Please continue current policies	9/6/2021 7:29 PM
45	After 5pm south lot became a honky tonk pig pen/non residents overtook the lot and beach.	9/6/2021 6:10 PM
46	It was nice they opened earlier (7:30) on weekends.	9/6/2021 12:49 PM
47	I'd like to see the lot close at 6 pm like it did before. That policy was changed with no TC vote.	9/6/2021 11:16 AM

48	Excellentnot have to worry about packing everything up only ti turn around and drive home like the summer of 2019	9/5/2021 8:26 PM
49	Unfair to year round residents when the parking lot is filled with out of state cars. I suggest altering the price of parking passes for cars registered to Narragansett verses out of state. Also the planking lot should be open to non residents after 6 not 7.	9/5/2021 11:29 AM
50	If the lots are somewhat empty after 200 pm we should allow no resident to enter and pay for parking. This way more money for our town	9/4/2021 10:30 PM
51	I own a home in narragansett and pay taxes but have to rent a car the 5 weeks I am there and cannot get a parking pass. I live in California	9/4/2021 6:51 PM
52	Not enough handicapped parking spaces. If you get there on weekend after 11, even with a handicapped placard, and have a locker at north beach, you need to park near the south beach. I talked with the assistant beach manager and she said there are wheelchairs to use. Not everyone who is handicapped comes with someone else. People with canes or heart conditions can come by themselves but can't park anywhere near their lockers. She was very flip about it!!	9/4/2021 5:38 PM
53	Happy that the lots opened at 5 for folks to enjoy the evening.	9/4/2021 12:25 PM
54	Only residents should be allowed to park	9/4/2021 9:45 AM
55	Empty parking lots all summer long that could have allowed more RI residents to go to the beach. Seems so wasteful not to at least open the lots at some point to pay cash or allow a certain #of cars - the all or nothing - poor management.	9/4/2021 2:24 AM
56	Great jo everyone!	9/3/2021 5:35 PM
57	Tax payers come first. It is a TOWN beach. Just like when I visit friends in New Hampshire at their TOWN beach on the lake	9/3/2021 4:46 PM
58	I have been very pleased. Years ago we would have a season pass and not be able to get into the parking lot even very early in the am. The new policy works like a charm. Also the "scouts" directing where open spots were was brilliant.	9/3/2021 10:47 AM
59	South,North and Cabana lots should be restricted to residents only until 8 pm.The West lot can be available to non-resudents but payment should be collected until 8pm.	9/2/2021 11:56 PM
60	The south lot should be have be staffed similar to North lot at the end of the day. It's ok to let cars without passes in but it becomes chaotic after the attendant leaves. This is especially true on Friday nights with the concerts and other events	9/2/2021 8:44 PM
61	sell spots after lunch to non residents	9/2/2021 7:38 PM
62	Needs some studying	9/2/2021 3:25 PM
63	Allow residents to park early in the morning for surfing, swimming, fishing or running.	9/2/2021 3:11 PM
64	Maybe post the sign on the sign walk when "you are not accepting Non-Pass" vehicles in the lot. Many time we have to wait on the street because NON-pass vehicles are in front of us and they want to pay for parking but can't so the make a u-turn.	9/2/2021 2:22 PM
65	I think you should open the parking lot at 5:00pm as in the past. We would like you to think about making an entrance to the beach in the middle of the North parking lot. For older residents who must walk from the farthest spaces to the ramp to enter the beach, is very hard. There would be fewer people walking through the lot, causing congestion. There are 3 entrances to the beach from the South lot!	9/2/2021 11:05 AM
66	You have made parking extremely difficult for those that do not reside in Narragansett	9/2/2021 11:04 AM
67	Open south lot to everyone on week days.	9/2/2021 8:57 AM
68	I frequently go to the beach at 5pm and never saw the north lot anywhere close to being full. It would be much more neighborly to resume the policy of ALL lots open after 5	9/2/2021 8:17 AM
69	South Kingstown should be included. The streets filled quickly making it difficult for business parking while the beach lots sat almost empty. People could not enjoy restaurant or a walk on	9/2/2021 6:37 AM

the wall because the wall parking was kind existent. I only had clam cakes once this summer

because I could not even touch parking for Monahans Harsh restrictions for non-residents who live merely minutes away 70 9/1/2021 11:21 PM There has to be an interim option for Wakefield residents. Honestly you could make more 71 9/1/2021 10:41 PM money if you sold a twilight season pass for \$20 (4-?) to allow Wakefield residents to park in the north lot. Win win? Too late enforcement for taxpayers who didn't bother to get a town beach pass 9/1/2021 9:58 PM 72 But dissatisfied that out of town but still local friends and family no longer have access easily. 9/1/2021 9:57 PM 73 I don't think the lots should be restricted to residents only after hours 9/1/2021 9:52 PM 74 Very unhappy that the north lot is closed off to non-Narragansett residents and that we can't 9/1/2021 8:18 PM 75 get on the beach until 5or later. 76 Let the south kingstown folks apply for parking passes! Please! 9/1/2021 6:10 PM 77 N/A 9/1/2021 4:45 PM 78 Lots should open before 8:30am 9/1/2021 4:19 PM I dislike the lots being closed to non residents or being charged until 8 pm 9/1/2021 4:02 PM 79 In state residents should all be charged the same fee. Out of state and summer rentals should 9/1/2021 3:44 PM 80 be charged more. Hoping rest rooms could be open later. Also wished the beach faucilities would be open till 9/15 81 9/1/2021 3:35 PM A few times people were parked in my assigned spot with no cabana pass 9/1/2021 3:04 PM 82 All lots should have been closed to non residents not just the Cabana and North lots. We're the 9/1/2021 2:08 PM 83 Cabana & North lots closed and monitored because a specific Town Council member sits up in that area? 84 My car is registered at my other house so I can't get a resident parking permit even though I 9/1/2021 2:00 PM live here and pay taxes here. Also, website should be more clear about timing - hours and costs for resident/nonresident parking, hours and costs to walk on beach, hours lifeguards are there. Expensive, double changing and the ocean should be accessible to all not just at limited hours 85 9/1/2021 1:52 PM The lots and beach should not have been available to non residents prior to Memorial Day 9/1/2021 1:50 PM 86 weekend. Residents should be allowed after 5pm. 87 9/1/2021 1:44 PM It would be nice to be able to park once the beach "closes" for us who are working and can 9/1/2021 1:17 PM 88 only come after hours. I think reasonable to open both lots at 5pm as it was in the past. Please consider. 9/1/2021 1:03 PM 89 90 We have transferable passes and go to the beach often and the south lot was almost always 9/1/2021 12:44 PM empty or half empty regardless of the day or time. Until it was open to all users, Living in South Kingstown we are as close to the beach as many Narragansett residents but unable to purchase beach passes or parking passes. The town of Narragansett is far too restrictive with coastal access. It is disappointing to see the town reduce access more and more each year. Thanks for keeping the North Lot staffed until 7:30. 91 9/1/2021 12:23 PM 92 It was great. 9/1/2021 11:57 AM All parking should be for residents only !! 9/1/2021 11:55 AM 93 Makes it extremely hard for non residents like myself from south Kingstown to park. Lot 9/1/2021 11:55 AM 94 across the street fills up early. There are some areas where Narragansett and SK share facilities such as the senior center. It would be nice if they did this for the beaches, parking lot. Why are gates not opened until 830, esp on HOT days! 9/1/2021 11:55 AM 95 96 closing lots to non-residents until 8 is ridiculous. I grew up 100 ft from the town line and am 9/1/2021 11:54 AM

	closer than many Narragansett residents. Now, I can't even access the shore to play in the waves quick after work	
97	South Lot should not open up to general public at 5 PM, should be consistent with other lots!	9/1/2021 11:32 AM
98	I am not a taxpayer for Narragansett, but I have been a Rhode Island resident my whole life. I used to be able to purchase a season pass, then that stopped but I was still able to park in the lot close to the beach during the week, now that has stopped. I wish they would make a few options for Rhode Island residents instead of just grouping us with all the tourists.	9/1/2021 11:31 AM
99	To expensive for the elderly	9/1/2021 11:17 AM
100	Keeping the North lot open later was helpful	9/1/2021 11:06 AM
101	Staff too late especially on nights when they had concerts or movies	9/1/2021 11:05 AM
102	So dissatisfied that as a homeowner and lifelong south county resident I have severed any business and services with Narragansett and any businesses in or run by Narragansett parties and I am not the only one. Good luck with year round businesses. I will also vote against any proposition in South Kingstown that may benefit or include Narragansett.	9/1/2021 10:28 AM
103	Might be ok for residents and taxpayers. Terrible for your neighbors in SK.	9/1/2021 10:13 AM
104	For years we've gone to North Pavillion after 5 and parked in the lot for free. Now? Pure money grab.	9/1/2021 10:07 AM
105	not allowed to park here as a SK resident	9/1/2021 9:53 AM
106	It was great to always be able to get a parking spot!	9/1/2021 9:49 AM
107	I understand there needs to be parking available for residents. However, the lot should open to the public at a much more reasonable hour. Many people like to enjoy the beach in the early evening and used to be able to do so. The new parking lot hours seem a little excessive and overly restrictive.	9/1/2021 9:16 AM
108	Definitely satisfied-never had an issue with parking. Hope the town keeps the same restrictions next year.	9/1/2021 9:15 AM
109	Go back to allowing non residents to park in South lot and switching over to West. Too much confusion and too many traffic jams as a result. Also there were days where North lot was monitored in the evening and South lot was left unattended. It was a free for all and many accidents and traffic jams occurred here during that time. If North lot is monitored in the evening, so should South lot. This was also in the middle of the summer when the beach was at full staff.	9/1/2021 9:11 AM
110	Residents should come first.	9/1/2021 9:03 AM
111	We live in SK and have shared so many playing fields etc with Narragansett then have to be told we have to pay full price at beach is very frustrating	9/1/2021 8:44 AM
112	We went for surf lessons on a Wednesday. Couldn't park in the almost empty lot because it was for "residents only". It bordered on ridiculous.	9/1/2021 8:34 AM
113	Closing the lot past 5 pretty much ruined summer evenings for a lot of locals. We're not residents but I can see the town from my SK property and it's just sad and discriminatory	9/1/2021 8:30 AM
114	I frequently would see the lot at half capacity and refusing to let fellow Rhode Islanders in.	9/1/2021 8:25 AM
115	Absolutely unacceptable- we have spent \$\$\$\$ renting houses for a week over the past 37 years. Spent money at all local businesses. Ridiculous that we can't park at one of the lots when they're empty! Unfortunately, looking to vacation somewhere else.	9/1/2021 7:47 AM
116	Not enough visitor/non-resident parking!	9/1/2021 7:40 AM
117	I find the parking policy ridiculous and discriminatory. We should be welcoming all to enjoy our beautiful beach. With the rates and restrictions	9/1/2021 7:35 AM
118	Hours could be later8pm	9/1/2021 7:07 AM
119	Numbering of parking lot rows was a very good addition. Keep the lots closed to non permit holders until 8:00 was also helpful	9/1/2021 7:06 AM

120	When the lots are not full by midday non- residents should be allowed to pay to park.	9/1/2021 6:54 AM
121	Well done. Could always get a place	9/1/2021 6:19 AM
122	Empty resident parking lot, but had to park on the street. What's going on? IMO is lost revenue for the town.	9/1/2021 6:17 AM
123	Not a resudent so don't get to park	9/1/2021 6:08 AM
124	so glad you opened earlier for us	9/1/2021 5:54 AM
125	As an SK resident who spends a large amount of time and money in Narragansett, I feel a level of reciprocity should extend to the parking situation for us	9/1/2021 5:14 AM
126	Like resident only north lot	9/1/2021 3:47 AM
127	This is the only beach we used to go with kids. We live in Kingston but Narragansett beach parking became only a privilege for residents and taxpayers <sup>(a)</sup>	9/1/2021 3:27 AM
128	Thank you for allowing me to purchase transferable passes for family members. However, those family members have no place to park. As a senior citizen, I am in the position of having to drop them off (infants and babies in tow) and it has become quite burdensome. Please consider allowing some small amount of parking designated for RESIDENT family members who use the transferable pass. The drop off area is often congested. Thank you.	9/1/2021 3:19 AM
129	Non cabana members parking in spots during special event set ups is unacceptable! Feel terrible for parking lot attendants who have to listen to all the out of staters complain!	8/31/2021 11:26 PM
130	All lots should be open to all after 5. Transferable and daily passes too expensive	8/31/2021 11:06 PM
131	Not enough hybrid spots and very crowded at times.	8/31/2021 10:49 PM
132	Public should have access to not only the shoreline but the parking. It was more than disheartening to see empty lots on beautiful summer days. This is incredibly selfish and down right wrong if the town.	8/31/2021 10:37 PM
133	Parking lot was often not manned towards end of summer.	8/31/2021 10:36 PM
134	The only people this impacted negatively were sk families. All of the teenager groups still got dropped off to loiter. Narr residents use sk resources but apparently it's not reciprocated.	8/31/2021 10:29 PM
135	I appreciate having the South Lot available to residents only.	8/31/2021 10:06 PM
136	Preferred the 8PM rule	8/31/2021 10:00 PM
137	I love that I can always get a parking spot as a resident	8/31/2021 9:39 PM
138	Non resident	8/31/2021 9:27 PM
139	It's really frustrating when the South lot is 100% full after hours, and the north lot is virtually empty, but as a SK resident I can't park in the North lot. I spend lots of \$\$ in Narragansett! I	8/31/2021 9:19 PM
140	Neighboring residents should be permitted to use the lots.	8/31/2021 9:04 PM
141	Too restrictive	8/31/2021 9:01 PM
142	South Kingstown residents shouldn't have to pay ridiculous prices	8/31/2021 8:53 PM
143	Hrs for residents not long enough	8/31/2021 8:42 PM
144	Parking lots should be for residents only until 7:00	8/31/2021 8:36 PM
145	We need to not let NON-RESIDENTS into our lots until after 7:00!	8/31/2021 8:32 PM
146	You're being piggish with the parking and costtotally unnecessary	8/31/2021 8:29 PM
147	While I understand protecting access for Narragansett residents is critical, the reality is that the vast majority of pass holders are seasonal residents. As a result of your policies, surrounding residents like those of us in South KIngstown, who support the town year round, have limited access and ability to enjoy the beach. Instead your lots are overrun with more affluent part time residents. You should consider a way for surrounding south county residents to have greater access.	8/31/2021 8:21 PM

148	Beach charges too late in the day	8/31/2021 8:20 PM
149	Non residents should be able to access the beach after 3:00	8/31/2021 8:16 PM
150	I like that I can park but to the limited parking for guests, not able to host family and friends	8/31/2021 7:53 PM
151	Tax payers had priority which is at it should be	8/31/2021 7:16 PM
152	Would like to see a resident/taxpayer lot continue	8/31/2021 7:10 PM
153	I feel that both lots should be open to the public at 5	8/31/2021 6:59 PM
154	The pass requirement til 8pm is so great! My car was a victim of a hit and run a few years ago because chaos would ensue after the attendants left.	8/31/2021 6:57 PM
155	I think it should be free to all at five everyday in all lots	8/31/2021 6:50 PM
156	I like that of of the lots is only available for residents after 5:00	8/31/2021 6:16 PM
157	I am only dissatisfied with the issue in the North Lot when it seems like almost every time I am turning in, especially on a weekend, someone without a parking sticker is turning in before me and asking lots of questions to the staff. I understand it can be confusing and the staff is always trying to be helpful, but it is frustrating. Maybe more signs, clearly stating "do not turn in without pass"? One day when I was leaving, it was also happening from someone who had turned around. I love the beach and I am a patient person, but when I get there I want to be on it, and when I'm done, I want to be on my way home.	8/31/2021 6:14 PM
158	Loved the late parking lot closings	8/31/2021 5:49 PM
159	The question as worded seems geared to assess resident satisfaction only. Evening parking for non-res should always be available after 5 or 6.	8/31/2021 5:41 PM
160	Very happy that (1) residents can park 5-8 PM without a pass, (2) only residents can park in North and South lots during main part of day.	8/31/2021 5:27 PM
161	Tax payers should enjoy longer hours before closed to public	8/31/2021 5:26 PM
162	very often the 3 "free" spaces for the second cabana parking (near the south side of cabana lot nearest to concession stand) were occupied by employees or people with no pass at all	8/31/2021 5:12 PM
163	Don't use	8/31/2021 5:05 PM
164	Please keep parking for the Town of Narragansett Residents	8/31/2021 4:50 PM
165	Weds to open earlier	8/31/2021 4:49 PM
166	Last year with the lot not opening at 5:00 crowds were much lower	8/31/2021 4:38 PM
167	Seems wasteful to not open lot or some of it to nonresident during the weekdays	8/31/2021 4:29 PM
168	Still believe we should charge non residents more. This is not a state beach.	8/31/2021 4:19 PM
169	The amount of out of state people who move here are baffling. I've seen plates from all over in the lot this year. I don't think it's necessary to keep attendants in any of the lots after 5pm unless it is a special event. I live right around the corner from the beach and at no time did I see hardly any cars in the cabana lot, yet one attendant sitting there. Also, when I worked at the beach over 20 years ago we would be sent home if there was inclement weather. Now on a rainy day days the beach has attendants.	8/31/2021 4:12 PM
170	Some weekends are still difficult to gain parking as a Narragansett resident.	8/31/2021 4:09 PM
171	Please don't change them - Residents should have priority	8/31/2021 4:03 PM
172	The parking lot should be opened to no residents earlier in the day. Federal funds were used to restore the parking lot and beaches repeatedly- the pay structure between residents and non should not be so steep.	8/31/2021 3:57 PM
173	Parking in South Pavilion until 8 for town residents	8/31/2021 3:52 PM
174	There should be a charge and better organized after 5	8/31/2021 3:50 PM
175	Unnecessary to keep parking attendants past 5:00	8/31/2021 3:45 PM

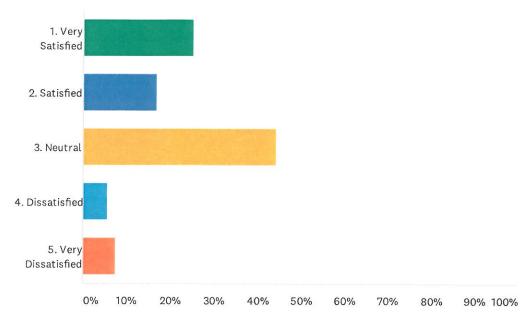
176	Would be nice to allow access after six to visitors	8/31/2021 3:45 PM
177	would like to see it open at 8am during the week	8/31/2021 3:41 PM
178	Very happy you open at 730 on weekends I was able to go to the beach early and leave when crowded. I used to have to park with surfers and get car at 830	8/31/2021 3:40 PM
179	So many people walk on the beach before it opens. The town should make the opening times earlier on the weekdays too. This is lost revenue.	8/31/2021 3:37 PM
180	Parking lots should all be open after 5pm	8/31/2021 3:21 PM
181	There would be a lot less traffic clogging up the roads in town if they just let people park in the lot. Tired of almost being hit by cars.	8/31/2021 3:20 PM
182	Sometimes we wish the lot was open earlier for the car	8/31/2021 3:15 PM
183	Except for cabana lot and rentals	8/31/2021 3:10 PM
184	Access limited!!	8/31/2021 3:09 PM
185	Year round residents should be more of a priority!	8/31/2021 2:52 PM
186	Appears there are many non residents using the lots	8/31/2021 2:52 PM
187	Residents should always have access to the beach. Maybe invest in automatic gates? :)	8/31/2021 2:47 PM
188	residents only until 8pm was far better	8/31/2021 2:44 PM
189	I am a non resident	8/31/2021 2:37 PM
190	Finally thinking of residence	8/31/2021 2:19 PM
191	Should be open early morning.	8/31/2021 2:11 PM
192	Open parking to all residents with beach passes at 6:00 PM	8/31/2021 1:58 PM
193	North parking lot should open at 7:30 or at least by 8 am weekdays.	8/31/2021 1:54 PM
194	Although would like to see the non-resident south pavilion locker holders (gradfathered in) to still be able to use any parking lot they chose, as residents do.	8/31/2021 1:49 PM
195	I would like to have the lots open at 5p again. We often have met local, but not Narr friends in the past, but now they cannot get in.	8/31/2021 1:48 PM
196	There were most times many parking spaces unused. I don't know how you could allow nonstickered cars in and still be sure to leave space for the stickered cars.	8/31/2021 1:36 PM
197	Do not use parking lot	8/31/2021 1:22 PM
198	I am extremely happy with the parking situation during the day. You guys have done an excellent job ensuring residents/pass holders have adequate and convenient parking and the parking attendants, for what's really a miserable job, always wave, smile, and are polite even when they have to deal with the out of town a-holes from time-to-time. Those kids are unbelievable great and should be commended and thanked for doing such a good job at such a crappy position. Now, what I don't care for is the train of cars the start piling in at 5:00pm. Now I am all for open beaches, water access, etc, but tax payer money and beach receipts collect pay for the maintenance and upkeep of the sand, the facilities, and everything else that makes NTB the nicest beach in RI. It really irks me when I see everyone online saying the beach is open and free at five and so many cars come rushing in, all with food and other items that then fill up the trash cans, and in some cases get left on the beach to be cleaned up later. I strongly implore you to charge a reduced fee for after 5. Sell parking passes at a discounted rate. I mean come on, the people who come rushing in our not destitute and could could easily pay a reduced rate that helps support the maintenance and upkeep of our collective beach.	8/31/2021 1:17 PM
199	I think after 5pm or 6pm would be reasonable to allow non-residents to park in the resident lots.	8/31/2021 1:14 PM
200	Terrible the residents of RI can't use them.	8/31/2021 12:50 PM
201	Is it possible to open the north lot at 7 or 7:30 daily?	8/31/2021 12:45 PM
202	Not a resident	8/31/2021 12:30 PM

203	too many people/ no parking demarcation lines or arrows	8/31/2021 12:16 PM
204	Parking is still a problem on weekends if a resident arrives after 11 a.m.	8/31/2021 12:15 PM
205	People with parking passes should be able to enter the beach earlier. There's no reason the lots should be blocked. Residents should have full access	8/31/2021 12:12 PM
206	Opening the South lot at 5 is a great idea while keeping the north lot regulated.	8/31/2021 12:09 PM
207	Allow Anyone to park on non busy days. for a fee	8/31/2021 12:06 PM
208	But, question opening South lot at 5:30 on Fridays	8/31/2021 12:05 PM
209	t.	8/31/2021 11:59 AM
210	open too late for other people. 5 pm ould be fine to not charge.	8/31/2021 11:57 AM
211	North lot should remain open all night instead of locking the gate.	8/31/2021 11:49 AM
212	Parking lot should be open to all after 2 charging non pass holders	8/31/2021 11:43 AM
213	open it up to everyone after 5	8/31/2021 11:42 AM
214	It's great residents are finally getting perference	8/31/2021 11:41 AM
215	Peak times sometimes hard to get spot but acceptable for the summer season	8/31/2021 11:35 AM
216	I think the cabana lot should be opened to all resident parking pass holders at some point during the day. Maybe after 6pm	8/31/2021 11:32 AM
217	Thanks for keeping the lots for pass holders only.	8/31/2021 11:20 AM
218	I live in the North End but my license says Saunderstown. Please inform staff some houses are in Narraganett but we have a mailing address of Saunderstown!!!!!!	8/31/2021 11:16 AM
219	Please don't open so early for non - residents	8/31/2021 11:14 AM
220	I think non-residents should be able to park after 5:00	8/31/2021 11:10 AM
221	Though staff are there earlier still see lots of people getting in beach for free	8/31/2021 11:08 AM
222	Would like south beach parking to be pass only until 6 so can get to park after work since we surf	8/31/2021 10:59 AM
223	8 am on weekdays?	8/31/2021 10:52 AM
224	The 2021 parking lot rules and hours were an excellent compromise and provided resident/taxpayers an opportunity to park in the paved lots after hours in the evening while allowing non-residents access to the beach free of charge after 5:00 pm.	8/31/2021 10:49 AM
225	With a sticker on my car I was told I couldn't park in an open lot	8/31/2021 10:43 AM
226	should stop checking after 5	8/31/2021 10:31 AM
227	Would like the beach parking lot to open at 7:30	8/31/2021 10:30 AM
228	I LOVE current lots reserved for residents/sticker holders!	8/31/2021 10:24 AM
229	except that one employee didn't know the rules and was rude on top of it. I believe that was addressed though.	8/31/2021 10:23 AM
230	Disappointed that cabana lot not open to non cabana friends after 5 PM	8/31/2021 10:19 AM
231	Appreciate the addition of a "waiting line" if the parking lot is full. With no waiting line you would need to continue to circle waiting for someone to leave. This was frustrating and in my opinion dangerous.	8/31/2021 10:18 AM
232	I would rather have 'residents only' until a later time	8/31/2021 10:16 AM
233	Would have preferred more later open time for non-residents	8/31/2021 10:13 AM
234	It seems excessive to have both the north and south lots be for residents only, yet so many of those "residents" have out of state cars and our neighboring towns don't have parking access.	8/31/2021 10:13 AM

235	I loved having a designated parking lot for residents. I would love it even more if it would open earlier.	8/31/2021 10:10 AM
236	Its very nice to have that available to us.	8/31/2021 10:08 AM
237	The beach is still super packed but did appreciate being abel to get a parking spot:)	8/31/2021 10:07 AM
238	Would love to see south lot restrictions on concert at the gazebo evening, especially since I was on kneeling scooter, walking boot, etc	8/31/2021 10:06 AM
239	I like the longer hours for resident parking.	8/31/2021 10:03 AM
240	I would like to see the lot open for early morning use. I like that the lot is open to non residents after beach hours.	8/31/2021 9:59 AM
241	Don't charge pass holders extra for special events	8/31/2021 9:55 AM
242	I feel it would be good to open the south lot during the week for none residents until 12:00. most residents use the north lot. It would be a good way to bring in more revenue	8/31/2021 9:55 AM
243	There is an issue for out of town "beachers". But liked always room for residents/taxpayers.	8/31/2021 9:53 AM
244	Thought people should be able to park for free after 5,	8/31/2021 9:53 AM
245	The North lot should remain open only to town residents.	8/31/2021 9:49 AM
246	Open the lots at 7:30 a.m. every day.	8/31/2021 9:49 AM
247	Open earlier	8/31/2021 9:45 AM
248	Parking after the beach closes daily should be more open to non-residents, tourists, etc.	8/31/2021 9:43 AM
249	Probably could have made more money if you charged out of towners to park in South Lot.	8/31/2021 9:42 AM
250	The north lot waiting lane worked well	8/31/2021 9:41 AM
251	Extend resident only use from 5/15-9/15ish	8/31/2021 9:39 AM
252	Didn't use	8/31/2021 9:38 AM
253	But rules are unclear for after 5	8/31/2021 9:37 AM
254	I think we could have opened up the parking at 4 for families to come done for dinner	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
255	Did not use. I walk to beach	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
256	I walk	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
257	We never had a problem accessing when we wanted to. I do fully support public access to beaches so it's important that there is a balance	8/31/2021 9:31 AM
258	I would like higher fees for day passes and day parking. Nontaxpayer fees should subsidize us more.	8/31/2021 9:30 AM
259	don't use parking, we walk	8/31/2021 9:30 AM
260	Should own earlier	8/31/2021 9:28 AM
261	Would like to be able to get a handful of free day passes for guests	8/31/2021 9:27 AM
262	We should get a discount for a 2nd vehicle tag. Guest passes plus tags are getting cost-prohibitive.	8/31/2021 9:27 AM
263	I don't use the parking lot.	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
264	Some days the North lot has almost no cars. Consider eaing the restrictions.	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
265	n/a	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
266	Wish lots were open at 730 daily, like to surf before work.	8/31/2021 9:26 AM

### Q10 How satisfied are you with the facility leasing policies. Please use the comment box for details.





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1. Very Satisfied	25.32%	221
2. Satisfied	16.95%	148
3. Neutral	44.44%	388
4. Dissatisfied	5.73%	50
5. Very Dissatisfied	7.56%	66
TOTAL		873

# 1	COMMENT BOX  I believe a yearly raffle would be fair to all taxpayers for the locker/changing rooms and cabanas. I know people rent them out and make money on the taxpayers of Narragansett. That is not fair considering they are town property and not private property	<b>DATE</b> 9/16/2021 11:28 AM
2	They should consider setting term limits on the cabanas and lockers so other residents have the opportunity to rent them. It's unfair for the same people to have them forever. The policies should be revised.	9/15/2021 11:01 PM
3	I am satisfied that currently residents can keep their unit as long as they would would like and I do not support assigning units by a lottery system. However, the lease agreement still has loopholes in it which allows residents to lease units and use their transferrable passes for non-residents, as well as purchase parking for non-residents. These practices should stop to discourage residents who don't utilize their units but keep them so their non-resident family and friends can use them and their parking benefit. This may free up more units for residents.	9/15/2021 9:14 PM
4	Not applicable.	9/14/2021 10:20 PM
5	Would like weekend staffing during shoulder seasons	9/14/2021 8:45 AM

6	Would not change any policies for cabanas or lockers	9/13/2021 10:48 AM
7	please do not change a thing here either despite a few on the town council looking to turn the town beach into Scarborough North which will drive a lot of ton residents away. we appreciate what we have here so much more then those who treat it like their weekend playground. there is absolutely no need to change anything with the TOWN beach. Many ask that you keep it as it is!!!!!	9/13/2021 10:26 AM
8	I would like to be able to keep my facility and continue to rent it annually. I understand there is a move to limit the number of years to rent. We came off a waitlist and didn't mind waiting to rent. Now that we are renting we would like to continue to use the facility.	9/12/2021 5:43 PM
9	We started the leasing process by putting our name on the waitlist. Years passed and eventually we were able to lease. We love it	9/12/2021 9:12 AM
10	I do NOT agree with the proposal of limiting the lease term limits to 5-10 years. I am aware that, at the June 14th, 2021 Narragansett Recreation Advisory Board meeting, the committee agreed that there should be term limits (5-10 years) and Steven Wright (currently on both the cabana waiting list and the NP waiting list) recommended a workshop be scheduled to propose the idea to the town council. With this issue being discussed further at the August meeting, many residents spoke stating that they (as current facility holders) had been on the waiting list for 5 years, 9 years, up to 17 years. Everyone waited! Additionally, at the June 14th meeting, Justin Skenyon noted that there are also long waiting lists for moorings in Narragansett (and that has doubled the waiting list for beach facilities). I was interested to learn that the Mooring Waitlist Application (which I found at Narragansettri.gov/harbormaster) requires a \$50 application fee (which holds your spot on the waitlist for 3 years). It would be interesting to see if there were an application fee for the beach facilities, as well, the length of the waiting list would decrease.	9/11/2021 9:01 AM
11	I wish we had a longer season with the lockers but also understand the staffing issues	9/10/2021 12:33 PM
12	I wish we had a longer season with the lockers but also understand the staffing issues	9/10/2021 12:29 PM
13	Not convinced cabanas are self funding, inc. rebuilding	9/9/2021 8:36 PM
14	There should be a conversation around how long each person can rent a cabana and changing room.	9/9/2021 8:12 PM
15	not used	9/9/2021 2:34 PM
16	It is very fair. If you want to lease you fill out an application and wait your turn like everyone else. It should continue the way it is.	9/9/2021 2:15 PM
17	Why are non residents still allowed to rent lockers when there are residents on the wait list?	9/9/2021 10:07 AM
18	Not utilized	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
19	N/A	9/8/2021 8:47 AM
20	Would like to see a lottery inside of lifetime	9/8/2021 4:04 AM
21	N/a	9/7/2021 8:50 PM
22	Leasing of facilities should be restricted to taxpayer. Leasing wait list should be reconciled	9/7/2021 4:23 PM
23		
	The system was improved to give residents priority access several years ago. With demand greater than the number of facilities, there is an understandable wait and waiting list. All currently facility leasees have had to wait for their rental. The wait has always been very long. This has not been an issue in prior year's beach surveys. Now a Town Council member wants to make it an issue because she and her brother are on the cabana waiting list.	9/7/2021 12:54 PM
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	facilities have had to wait years for their current facility. There is no way to transfer that facility to anyone else, so there is no getting around the rules. When you no longer want it, then it goes to the highest person on the list.	
28	Very satisfied the way it is. I am, however, totally against putting the changing rooms on a rotating schedule. I am 70 yes old and have a back issue. I need the changing room now more than ever. Cut the waiting list off at 50 people. There is obviously a need for more changing rooms. Go up a floor and put more rooms.	9/6/2021 11:16 AM
29	long waiting lists	9/6/2021 11:08 AM
30	Do not use the rentals.	9/5/2021 8:26 PM
31	Don't use	9/5/2021 3:10 PM
32	Very long wait lists and part time residents having a lease is not following the rules. Everyone who has a lease should be a registered voter in Narragansett and registered car in Narragansett.	9/5/2021 2:17 PM
33	I disagree with lottery system.	9/5/2021 11:29 AM
34	Not specifically sure what his question means?	9/5/2021 1:52 AM
35	I have heard the policy is being discussed yet there has been no effort to make this public so those of us that waited years for our units could have a say	9/4/2021 1:07 PM
36	The cabana for life is a ridiculous policy.	9/4/2021 12:25 PM
37	Only residents should be allowed to lease and there should not be a waiting list	9/4/2021 9:45 AM
38	Unaware which services are leased	9/4/2021 8:32 AM
39	Treatment of kids & families who sit/play near cabanas was horrible & disgraceful. Beach goers taking PICS of kids playing & sending them to beach employees to have them removed. KIDS PLAYINGshould be ashamed.	9/4/2021 2:24 AM
40	It took years to "clean things up" and now everything is running smoothly. Do not change ANYTHING. I'm a perfect example of waiting on the "Lists". Waited for changing room. Waited for cabana and took it. Held it for several years while grand kids were babies. Name came up again on changing room list and took it. Freeing up a cabana for someone else since parking and private shower were no longer important since grand kids had grown. The system WORKS. There is movement EVERY year. Keep current system in place.	9/3/2021 4:46 PM
41	If we are paying to park and avail the beach and facilities the bathrooms must be addressed.	9/3/2021 12:08 PM
42	anti-democratic, reserved by the few	9/3/2021 10:54 AM
43	I think policy should stay the same. I am also not pleased with the way this was asked.	9/3/2021 10:47 AM
44	No experience with them	9/3/2021 3:10 AM
45	Waiting lists are too long . There should be NO leasing of each lockers, changing rooms or cabanas to non-residents. non-residents	9/2/2021 11:56 PM
46	After waiting 11 years I am glad to lease a cabana since we are now seniors and it makes our life so convenient.	9/2/2021 3:25 PM
47	Ban Conrad Ferla from teaching surf lessons. He brings a negative attitude to the area.	9/2/2021 3:11 PM
48	Don't know about this	9/2/2021 2:08 PM
49	N/A	9/2/2021 11:05 AM
50	If this is about the cabanas? then yes I am dissatisfied. The current policy makes it impossible for anyone to have a chance for a cabana	9/2/2021 11:04 AM
51	NA	9/2/2021 5:30 AM
52	i like policies to be kept as they are	9/2/2021 5:09 AM
53	Not applicable	9/2/2021 3:23 AM

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55	I am very satisfied with the facility leasing policy however I think everyone should have to show proof of their vaccination. Please just make sure you have strict review procedures in place because the ID cards can be faked. Of course government IDs should not be required for voting because its too hard for people to get an ID but leasing facilities should be taken seriously here (much more serious than silly voting).	9/1/2021 7:29 PM
56	N/A	9/1/2021 4:45 PM
57	Don't know	9/1/2021 3:34 PM
58	I do not agree that non residents should be grandfathered in on leasing cabanas.	9/1/2021 2:06 PM
59	don't understand question	9/1/2021 2:00 PM
60	Please consider lease of 5 years per cabana rather than endless residence. Those of us on the waitlist for 10 years would like an opportunity to use one! Thank you.	9/1/2021 1:03 PM
61	Annual lottery should be used. Not fair same people every year and the rest have to wait for someone to die or move out of area.	9/1/2021 12:57 PM
62	No one uses the cabanas. Waste of a parking lot and others want to rent a cabana. I will be dead before one becomes available. Also I would like a locker-I'm a local not even just a resident and I know plenty of out of town ppl that rent them. Should just be Narragansett residents.	9/1/2021 12:28 PM
63	Had a locker for 15 years and gave it up so that other you g families could enjoy. The cabanas should turnover very 5 years. They aren't OWNED- but are town property	9/1/2021 12:23 PM
64	If I lose my locker I will not be happy!	9/1/2021 11:57 AM
65	I agree residents should have priority but I feel like it has gone too far.	9/1/2021 11:55 AM
66	Not applicable to me	9/1/2021 11:55 AM
67	No need to change any policies	9/1/2021 11:32 AM
68	Not sure what this question is in reference to	9/1/2021 11:05 AM
69	NA	9/1/2021 10:07 AM
70	Open to changes	9/1/2021 10:05 AM
71	N/A	9/1/2021 9:53 AM
72	?	9/1/2021 9:49 AM
73	Resident Tax payers should have preference	9/1/2021 9:37 AM
74	Cabanas should be a yearly lottery. Rules now are disgraceful.	9/1/2021 9:17 AM
75	Lockers and cabanas should be in a lottery system. It's a shame that residents drive by an empty cabana lot all year and the brand new cabanas hardly ever get used. It would be wonderful to see families be able to share the cabana experience and it would be a great way for residents to meet each other.	9/1/2021 9:11 AM
76	Waiting many years for N Pavilion changing room	9/1/2021 8:55 AM
77	Cabanas should be yearly lottery rentals. The lots almost always empty, it's a shame.	9/1/2021 8:42 AM
78	Considered the pavillion for my wedding but went a different direction partly because of the increased cost to access the beach and limited evening parking	9/1/2021 8:30 AM
79	n/a	9/1/2021 8:30 AM
80	There should be more opportunities for other small businesses not just narragansett surf and skate.	9/1/2021 8:25 AM
81	I find the parking policy both ridiculous and discriminatory. We should be welcoming all to enjoy our beach. Not just residents. The rates for non residents and lack of parking does not make this possible. There should be a better access plan for all to enjoy the beach.	9/1/2021 7:35 AM

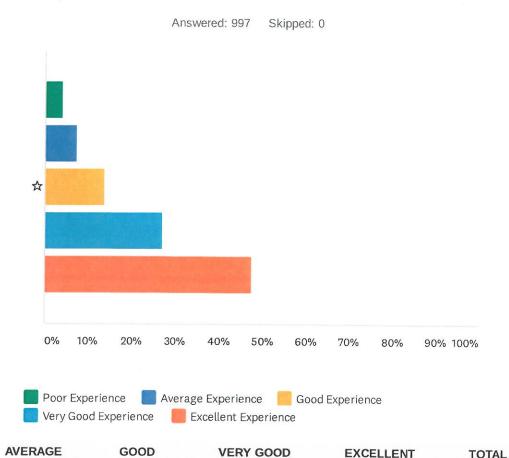
82	I am in favor of the limited lease of cabanas so more residents can use them	9/1/2021 7:29 AM
83	The cabana parking lot should be open to all residents	9/1/2021 7:07 AM
84	Please don't entertain changes in policy.	9/1/2021 7:06 AM
85	N/a	9/1/2021 6:48 AM
86	Cabana rentals should be a lottery system for residents yearly and not lifetime rentals.	9/1/2021 6:43 AM
87	didn't check them out this year	9/1/2021 5:54 AM
88	Lottery system is fair but rebooting entirely is unfair to those who have waited decades to obtain a cabana.	9/1/2021 3:19 AM
89	N/A	9/1/2021 1:36 AM
90	Word on the street is that people are complaining about waiting for available lockers and cabanas. The wait list should max out at a certain number. Year round residents should get first dibs but that being said everyone has to wait. It is not fair to people who had to wait 10 years plus to get a rental. Every beach club I know there is a wait list.	8/31/2021 11:26 PM
91	being a widow I only get one pass and have to pay for my 6 children	8/31/2021 10:49 PM
92	NA	8/31/2021 10:29 PM
93	Never inquired about leasing	8/31/2021 10:18 PM
94	Will never have an opportunity to have based on the life long wait list.	8/31/2021 9:54 PM
95	Didn't use	8/31/2021 9:29 PM
96	Na	8/31/2021 9:27 PM
97	do not know - never used it	8/31/2021 9:21 PM
98	NA	8/31/2021 9:04 PM
99	I own property in Narragansett but as a resident of SK I would think Narragansett would want to be more welcoming to others.	8/31/2021 8:37 PM
100	Too long a wait list for Cabanas	8/31/2021 8:36 PM
101	I waited my TURN: 10 Years to obtain a Cabana and I expect OTHERS TO DO THE SAME! I'm STRONGLY AGAINST CHANGING THE RULES FOR CURRENT HOLDERS AND THOSE ON THE WAITING LIST!	8/31/2021 8:32 PM
102	Should be a fresh lottery every year for cabanas	8/31/2021 8:20 PM
103	Not sure about the cabana rental rules.	8/31/2021 7:51 PM
104	I am a year round resident who has my name on a north locker lot for about 4 years now. There are many non year round residents who have lockers and are ahead of us on this list. It's disappointing to see there isn't a "fast track" list for people who are year round residents and have children in the schools and vested in the community opposed to people who rent year round and don't even reside in narragansett ever.	8/31/2021 7:45 PM
105	However non taxpayers should not be in south facility if we are going to be consistent	8/31/2021 7:16 PM
106	The volleyball people are just flat rude when they come in. It's your contract not mine but it's me who must pack up and go home. The manager would never come out but would send dummer security to make people move it a real crap system too many country's sold fir the space	8/31/2021 7:16 PM
107	Don't have any knowledge of people's experiences	8/31/2021 7:10 PM
108	I think there should be a rotation like cabanas for five years bath house for ten years	8/31/2021 6:50 PM
109	It would be nice to know where you are annually in the waiting list.	8/31/2021 6:26 PM
110	Leasing cabanas and lockers should ONLTY be for residents	8/31/2021 6:16 PM
111	The idea of a 5 or 10 yr changing room rotation is a terrible idea	8/31/2021 6:15 PM
111	The idea of a 5 of 10 yr changing room rotation is a temple idea	6/31/2021 6.13 PW

112	As a locker renter I do think it would be a good idea to place some limits on automatic renewals, like a 5 year cap before you go back into the general pool of applicants with a lottery system. I also think priority should be given to full time residents.	8/31/2021 5:50 PM
113	Wildly inappropriate to allow a very few townspeople to monopolize a town resource for years and years. Implement lottery each year. I'm not even a resident but this does not reflect well on Narragansett.	8/31/2021 5:41 PM
114	never used	8/31/2021 5:30 PM
115	Don't use	8/31/2021 5:05 PM
116	Please do not change anything about the process!	8/31/2021 4:29 PM
117	n//a	8/31/2021 4:28 PM
118	The leasing policies are and have always been a complete joke. Someone released a list of all the cabana renters and who knows how long these people have been renting. They shouldn't be able to "hand them down". These are people renting town property. There should be a lottery for all lockers and all cabanas. There's no reason anyone should be able to be guaranteed a box for their chairs every year. Let it be "fair" and "equitable" isn't the current Town Council trying to shove down green/equitable/progressive things? Let's start with this!	8/31/2021 4:12 PM
119	The 'who you know and who you blow' needs to go	8/31/2021 3:59 PM
120	Would prefer access before 6pm	8/31/2021 3:44 PM
121	Doesn't interfere too much with beach goers and brings in \$ for town	8/31/2021 3:40 PM
122	Should be a lottery for residents to use cabanas	8/31/2021 3:36 PM
123	If referring to cabanas I feel it should be a yearly lottery	8/31/2021 3:10 PM
124	Wasn't available	8/31/2021 3:05 PM
125	It must change to a system of 3 year use. If not it is essentially buying a cabana abs passing down and not a rental. It is highly unfair and I would argue illegal for a public facility	8/31/2021 3:03 PM
126	I only know rumors that you have to "know" someone to get a locker or cabana.	8/31/2021 3:02 PM
127	Ridiculous that people are granted life leasing. I support 1 year terms	8/31/2021 2:52 PM
128	Cabanas should be on lottery and not a legacy.	8/31/2021 2:49 PM
129	If you have a locker you should be able to have two parking stickers.	8/31/2021 2:46 PM
130	I am on two waiting lists and feel that a different system would be unfair to those on the waiting lists. Maybe limiting the number of years one can lease a facility is a good idea.	8/31/2021 2:40 PM
131	Does not apply to me	8/31/2021 2:29 PM
132	N/A	8/31/2021 2:11 PM
133	Did not use.	8/31/2021 1:58 PM
134	Although would like to see the non-resident south pavilion locker holders (gradfathered in) to still be able to use any parking lot they chose, as residents do.	8/31/2021 1:49 PM
135	Loved the concerts on Mondays.	8/31/2021 1:36 PM
136	Don't use them so cannot comment.	8/31/2021 1:17 PM
137	Not applicable for me	8/31/2021 1:14 PM
138	Takes too long to get a lease. I know people who sub lease their cabanas. This needs to change. There should be a five year max on how long a lease lasts.	8/31/2021 1:03 PM
139	wish the wait wasn't so long, we are about 7 years out!	8/31/2021 1:02 PM
140	No comment	8/31/2021 12:50 PM
141	Didn't use	8/31/2021 12:40 PM
142	did not use	8/31/2021 12:16 PM

143	I find it expensive	8/31/2021 12:15 PM
144	Still on a wait list	8/31/2021 12:09 PM
145	N/A	8/31/2021 12:05 PM
146	We had been on the waiting list for years and now finally have a locker and while I was unable to attend the information session, I truly hope no changes will be made to the policy.	8/31/2021 11:59 AM
147	one year per rental then apply again.	8/31/2021 11:57 AM
148	I feel that they are fair, when people have waited years to get a locker, they deserve to keep it. A lottery system would be unfair to those who are longtime residents, who have waited in line for lockers.	8/31/2021 11:48 AM
149	On list hoping to enjoy soon	8/31/2021 11:41 AM
150	I'm very opposed to the use of the town beach for summer camp. Large groups of camp kids in the water together dangerous. It also interferes with the use of a significant stretch of the water on a daily basis.	8/31/2021 11:37 AM
151	Did not use leasing	8/31/2021 11:20 AM
152	My husband has had back surgery two years in a row and the changing rooms are a God send.	8/31/2021 11:14 AM
153	N/a	8/31/2021 11:12 AM
154	N/A	8/31/2021 11:10 AM
155	I never saw the cabana parking lot even close to being full, maybe that 2nd car pass should be use for cabana area only to free up more spots for residents. Because we all know that that 2nd car pass is for a non resident	8/31/2021 11:07 AM
156	DONT CHANGE!	8/31/2021 11:05 AM
157	Do not change the policies, and do not discard the waiting lists.	8/31/2021 10:49 AM
158	Not familiar with leasing policies	8/31/2021 10:46 AM
159	As a full time resident of Narragansett 365 days a year, I think my lease agreement should be annually renewed. Period. As a 365 days a year resident, it is one of the few perks we as winter residents have during our favorite time of year. We should NOT be subject to any rotation of lease occupancy. It should be ongoing.	8/31/2021 10:45 AM
160	Don't know of them.	8/31/2021 10:43 AM
161	please do not change cabana leasing policy	8/31/2021 10:36 AM
162	Not currently leasing, on waiting lists	8/31/2021 10:33 AM
163	n/a	8/31/2021 10:27 AM
164	Not used so can't comment	8/31/2021 10:24 AM
165	Please don't change cabana policies	8/31/2021 10:19 AM
166	On the waiting list and patiently waiting my turn. I appreciate that the list is public and I can see where I am.	8/31/2021 10:18 AM
167	Get rid of the facilities. It's a public beach, not a private beach. Nobody needs lockers. The town of Narragansett needs dune restoration for protection from hurricanes.	8/31/2021 10:13 AM
168	We have been on a waiting list for over 10 years to lease a cabana, the lot is constantly under used and we are looking to our future needs, now in our late 60's	8/31/2021 10:06 AM
169	Tax payers should have access to lockers and cabanas over non residents	8/31/2021 10:04 AM
170	Cabana are too inexpensive waiting list is too long	8/31/2021 9:59 AM
171	Concerned they are getting rid of wait list after I have been waiting for my turn at locker	8/31/2021 9:59 AM
172	Still not sure how to sign up for a cabana for the future.	8/31/2021 9:57 AM

173	No opinion	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
174	What are facility leasing policies?	8/31/2021 9:55 AM
175	Maybe a random selection for Cabanas and lockers would be a fairer distribution.	8/31/2021 9:53 AM
176	I did not use them.	8/31/2021 9:51 AM
177	Do not use	8/31/2021 9:50 AM
178	We are thankful that we have access to the transferable passes for our summer guests. The \$100 fee is a fair price, and saves our guests from having to pay the daily fees.	8/31/2021 9:49 AM
179	N/A	8/31/2021 9:47 AM
180	Wish there were more changing rooms.	8/31/2021 9:46 AM
181	Long wait list	8/31/2021 9:44 AM
182	I hear news reports of what I would view as unfair policies	8/31/2021 9:43 AM
183	I don't know what this is.	8/31/2021 9:39 AM
184	unfamiliar with them	8/31/2021 9:39 AM
185	Didn't use	8/31/2021 9:38 AM
186	Did not use	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
187	Don't use	8/31/2021 9:35 AM
188	I don't lease.	8/31/2021 9:34 AM
189	Does not apply to me except that there is a multi year waiting list	8/31/2021 9:31 AM
190	don't apply	8/31/2021 9:30 AM
191	Please do not turn to "term limits" on lockers if you are a full time user. Folks who never use their locker, possibly but not fair if we use it for 75% of the summer.	8/31/2021 9:29 AM
192	The policies could be clearer	8/31/2021 9:27 AM
193	I haven't leased any facilities.	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
194	I don't have enough information, but residents should get first choice	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
195	n/a	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
196	I would like you to go back to adding a non-resident parking pass to a resident locker	8/31/2021 9:25 AM
197	Didn't use	8/31/2021 9:25 AM
198	I don't have access to them	8/31/2021 9:23 AM

# Q11 Please rate your overall experience at Narragansett Town Beach on a scale of 1-5, with 1 star being a poor experience and 5 stars being an excellent experience. Please use the comment box for details.



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	EXPERIENCE	EXPERIENCE	EXPERIENCE	EXPERIENCE	<b>EXPERIENCE</b>		AVERAGE
☆	4.01% 40	7.32% 73	13.74% 137	27.18% 271	47.74% 476	997	4.07
#	СОММЕ	NT BOX				DATE	
1	Too mar	y beach attendees no	t residents but are	rentals		9/17/202	1 11:40 AM
2		ior discount should als e per senior at that co		ansferable pass; it shou	ld be \$50 at tthe most.	9/16/202	1 11:28 AM
3	The beach is stunning. The staff great. Need stronger policies though. Check Town of Westerly. You have to be a resident. Increase bracelet prices. There are many state beaches. This is a town beach. Thanks				9/14/202	1 10:20 PM	
4	Need Be	ach capacity study fo	r safety			9/14/202	1 8:45 AM
5	her accid	dent. Steve Chadwick	and the staff at th	he hadn't been in the oc e North Pavilion were w people, making sure e	onderful to me starting	9/13/2021	1 9:30 PM

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ocean again!

and Steve came over to check on us to make sure everything was fine. I also called the Park and Recs office to see about parking her handicap van in the beach lot so she could transfer from her wheelchair to the beach chair. The staff was wonderful and answered all my

questions, when we pulled into the parking lot the parking attendant was totally knowledgable and directed us to a parking spot. We had a great time and my sister was thrilled to be in the

6	The beach is getting very crowded and rowdy. In the beginning of summer coolers were checked but in August saw tons of drinking on the beach, need better enforcement of our policies, need security to walk around and check for drinking, loud music and ball playing in crowded spots and not driving through once a day	9/13/2021 2:46 PM
7	Great experience this summer with the exception of weekends which tended to be overcrowded. I especially liked the ATV police and beach patrol which seemed to keep the beach orderly. Would like the no smoking to be more severely enforced.	9/13/2021 1:55 PM
8	Although management is excellent and really tries, there are still quality of life issues involving foul language, loud music, drinking and smoking that definitely increased as the season went on. The beach felt more crowded this year than other years. The beach keeps getting smaller yet more people live here and visit. Need to study this and maintain security allseason	9/13/2021 1:10 PM
9	as stated above please do not allow such a minority of people, and i am talking a handful, ruin what we have here. Pugh and Cicilline have self serving reasons that affect thousands and they should not be allowed to treat out beach they way they are proposing.	9/13/2021 10:26 AM
10	I remain concerned about the beach erosion, and the teenagers drinking, vaping, and leaving their trash behind for the staff to pick up.	9/13/2021 10:00 AM
11	Years ago I would give 5 stars but this year the beach was very overcrowded. Narragansett Town Beach is town owned and not a public state beach. The town needs to find out the maximum number of beachgoers allowed to be one the beach for safety, efficiency, and enjoyment. We need security on the weekends at each gate and the police on atv's was great. That should continue.	9/12/2021 9:12 AM
12	Entry onto beach needs monitoring: People jump the seawall near the Towers when it is low tide so they are they entering for free. People purposefully distract the staff at the cabana lot shed and other people run past the staff under the cabanas and enter the beach for free.	9/11/2021 9:51 AM
13	in past years the lockers did not stick to posted hours and closed early, this year the timing was consistent and reasonable - thank you	9/10/2021 12:33 PM
14	in past years the lockers did not stick to posted hours and closed early, this year the timing was consistent and reasonable - thank you	9/10/2021 12:29 PM
15	I feel this should be an excellent experience but the problem is that there were too many visitors allowed. Please limit the number of daily paying visitors.	9/9/2021 9:23 PM
16	Unfortunately the beach continues to be extremely overcrowded mostly on weekends but also sometimes during the week days. Just like going to a Celtics game, when every seat is full nomore tickets are sold. We need to determine what the appropriate number of individuals is on the beach at any given time in order to ensure everyone is safe and comfortable. With overcrowding comes fighting and inappropriate behavior. I am also concerned about the excessive amounts of people which puts our treasured lifeguards at risk. Each gate needs security on busy days, especially weekends. Having police ride up and down the beach has rectified the situation of teenage drinking to a large degree. The police presence should be continued. They should also be patrolling the beach prior to the official beach opening and afterwards to ensure we do not have another melee as we saw in May.	9/9/2021 2:15 PM
17	This year the beach got off to a dangerous start with the fight that took place on May. Having Security personnel and the uniformed Police on an ATV had a very positive effect. Overcrowding leads to these dangerous situations. I feel that a study to determine how many people can be on the beach is needed. Inviting more people to be on the beach that the beach can realistically accommodate is reckless and does not serve the residents of Narragansett.	9/9/2021 1:55 PM
18	The only thing that really bothers me is that children aren't allowed to play on the beach. The beach is supposed to be fun, and these young kids are getting kicked out of virtually empty areas because a few people complain. The sand in front of the cabanas does NOT belong to the people who rent the cabanas, and I don't understand why the beach staff doesn't just tell them that. We were told it was a "safety issue" when the kids were repeatedly kicked out on a day when there was almost no one at the beach. I can understand that you don't want them running around on the stairs and up and down the ramp, or climbing all over the cabanas. That makes sense. But sometimes they have to go half way to the Dunes Club to play. While my kids are older and fine on their own down there, some of the kids are little. If one of them gets hurt so far from their parents or the life guards, isn't that more of a "safety issue?" Stop	9/8/2021 7:39 PM

capitulating to the very few people who complain and let the kids play. Other than that, I love the beach.

	the beach.	
19	Best beach in the state, possibly New England	9/8/2021 7:05 PM
20	Who polices the NO DOGS ON THE BEACH rule? They don't seem to be doing their job!	9/8/2021 6:44 PM
21	I love being on the beach!	9/8/2021 4:43 PM
22	Too restrictive and not inclusive of NK $\&$ SK residents, the South County community is made up of several towns.	9/8/2021 12:42 PM
23	Too busy, crowds, expensive.	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
24	Shocked the runner was removed from the beach before the end of the season. Not having it there makes it that much more difficult to wheel buggies and carriages. That should be there, as well as outside foot washers, at least until the end of September.	9/8/2021 10:18 AM
25	the absolute best!	9/8/2021 9:35 AM
26	Rates are very high for walk ons. The policies were better a few yrs ago. SK residents should be given some privkedges since we keep the Narra economy going as much as narr residents do	9/8/2021 12:07 AM
27	Too may people!!!	9/7/2021 4:50 PM
28	Still issues with overcrowding. Gee age drinking smoking and loud music still an issue	9/7/2021 4:23 PM
29	We invite way too many folks into the parking area after 5:00 PM which certainly makes it difficult to use the beach and parking with any enjoyment.	9/7/2021 12:59 PM
30	The beach is well managed and the staff do an exemplary job. The reason I am not giving this a higher ranking is because of the unacceptable overcrowding on weekends. Over the last decade, with the exception of 2020, the beach has become more and more crowded on weekends. It is uncomfortable to hear the profanity and see alcohol consumption and inebriation. I often don't feel safe on the beach when it is like this. I am concerned about what would happen in an emergency. How would thousands of people get evacuated out of only a few exits? What is the maximum number of people that should be on the beach for our safety and enjoyment? During summer 2020, half the number of people were on the beach than in previous years. This worked!	9/7/2021 12:54 PM
31	I liked having the police presence this season, and there should be better security. Also, there should be signs or some type of announcement that this beach is owned by the town and is not a public beach. If people do not want to pay the fees, they should be directed to the THREE state beaches in Narragansett.	9/7/2021 11:05 AM
32	Beach just to crowded, many getting on the beach before it even opens which is one a loss of revenue for the town but also makes it so crowded.	9/6/2021 8:48 PM
33	Always a couple of "situations" The active cooler checks and police vehicle were great	9/6/2021 8:20 PM
34	Please continue to increase security such as police details/patrols as necessary. Pre season the town should be proactive to secure the beach on days on the weekends when good weather is predicted before the actual beach season has begun	9/6/2021 7:29 PM
35	We love town beach. Please be kind to RI, non Narraganset residents.	9/6/2021 4:22 PM
36	It would be unfair to change the leasing policies.	9/6/2021 2:58 PM
37	This summer was an excellent experience. I would like to see the blue walkway on the beach extended. There is plenty of room, and would not go beyond the lifeguard chair. For disabled patrons especially to get on the beach. And pulling wagons or carts through the sand is difficult for anyone. I have made this suggestion for years. The lifeguards are the best. They take very good care of us.	9/6/2021 11:16 AM
38	Do NOT like dogs on the beach!!!!	9/6/2021 10:32 AM
39	Patrons should not be told they can't play ball at the beach. Cooler searches were ridiculous and intrusive. It's a lot to ask for older people to put down everything they are carrying and open a cooler and then be told the worker cannot touch anything in the cooler and the owner must upheave everything that was packed inside.	9/5/2021 9:45 AM

40	Apart from the awful weather conditions and limited access to even go to the beach the	9/5/2021 1:52 AM
41	management did a fine job	0/4/2024 6:45 DM
41	too expensive, went to state beaches	9/4/2021 6:15 PM
42	I believe the extra police presence made a huge difference this summer.	9/4/2021 1:07 PM
43	There should be rules about how close you can sit to other people	9/4/2021 9:45 AM
44	Everything is great. We like greater police / security prescience this year.	9/3/2021 4:46 PM
45	Love the hydration station.	9/3/2021 12:08 PM
46	I was very pleased to see the extra ramp part way down but I am sure a second ramp could be installed to widen it. There is room along the right side (facing the beach) that could double the width. The beach seaweed cleaning trucks don't have to go there be the seaweed doesn't get up there. I have been watching all summer,	9/3/2021 10:47 AM
47	You have to get the dogs off the beach, and ticket the owners	9/3/2021 10:38 AM
48	I live in SK. I used to LOVE this beach. It was my primary beach since I was a child (now in my mid 40's). The last few years have been extremely disappointing as Narragansett discriminants more and more against Sk residents and caters to out of staters with their summer properties in gansett. Between season passes and parking issues it is not only discouraging but also challenging to enjoy this beach any longer. It is turning into a jersey shore shit show not what south county should be all about.	9/2/2021 1:13 PM
49	Due to crowds and parking issues I only spent time at the beach in the evening this year and it was nice. You should be aware that you are driving South County people away with current parking	9/2/2021 11:04 AM
50	Very happy overall. Would be helpful if friends of residents could get in a a slight discounted price so that I don't need to go to another beach.	9/2/2021 9:48 AM
51	Sadly, because of the weather this summer and the overall crowds, I did not go to the beach very much this year. I walked it alot, but did not spend the day as I used to.	9/2/2021 9:30 AM
52	The only downside is trying to attend the NOSE swims at 6pm and having to look forever for a spot when the north lot is basically empty but for taxpayers only	9/2/2021 8:17 AM
53	See comments above about parking. The problem- and why you get so much local headache- is you create 2 groups. Resident and non. But really there is resident, neighboring, and non. There seems to me there is room for a more layered approach which might tamper the non layered responses.	9/1/2021 10:41 PM
54	Still too crowded	9/1/2021 8:23 PM
55	I had a good experience this year 3 out of 5 stars however when I was visiting once this year a patron there told me that sunscreen protects your skin from the sun so why can't it protect you from a virus. I thought this was very good thinking however after inhaling about three quarters of a can of sunscreen I felt very ill.	9/1/2021 7:29 PM
56	I only use the beach for a walk. I come early so I don't have to pay the expensive rates. I'm a South Kings town resident	9/1/2021 4:45 PM
57	5	9/1/2021 3:04 PM
58	New Management Please!	9/1/2021 2:30 PM
59	Charging money to access the shoreline goes against constitutional rights. Beach employees have no right to approach anyone entering the beach below the high tide mark. Get educated and stop restricting shoreline access.	9/1/2021 2:08 PM
60	You should be able to walk on the beach. Not charged twice. It is public access below mhw and that needs to be allowed	9/1/2021 1:52 PM
61	Hard to understand any of the announcements. Lifeguard chair 6 is to far north. It's like they are also watching an area not part of the town beach. It is also too far from chair 5. They should each be moved further south. I feel if swimming between the two that no lifeguard is watching. Also they do not ship the skim boarders or people playing ball even though this is not allowed in this area. When we ask the lifeguards they do nothing nor does beach	9/1/2021 1:31 PM

management. It's quite frustrating as with the kids throwing the skimboards, you can get hit or knocked down It would be nice if the seaweed could be removed at the north end of the beach. It looks awful. Can't they take it away?

62	Too crowded	9/1/2021 1:29 PM
63	I think the visitor price could increase. Same with the parking fees. If you budget to spend vacation at narragansett, this entry price is a deal. Stay for 8 hours for \$10?!	9/1/2021 12:23 PM
64	It was great!	9/1/2021 11:57 AM
65	Love the actual beach. Dislike the policies and expense.	9/1/2021 11:55 AM
66	Our town beach is beautiful but it seems to be overrun by out of towners	9/1/2021 11:05 AM
67	The disgraceful treatment of citizens and tourists.	9/1/2021 10:28 AM
68	I no longer go to Narragansett Beach	9/1/2021 10:13 AM
69	the policing of NO dogs and NO smoking still needs attention	9/1/2021 9:49 AM
70	I think the entrance fee for kids under 16 is a lot especially when they're with their parents Oran adult	9/1/2021 9:29 AM
71	I think more control has to be taken with people playing football or frisbee on the beach. Many days there were groups of kids playing and they were not considerate of beach goers and even though it was brought to attention of lifeguards and staff nothing was done. I'm not on the beach to have to look out for flying objects.	9/1/2021 9:21 AM
72	Love beach, not the cost	9/1/2021 8:44 AM
73	It used to be an excellent experience but the cost and parking restrictions pretty much ruined it	9/1/2021 8:30 AM
74	Would have been nice if we could have parked in one of your empty lots. I	9/1/2021 7:47 AM
75	I was harassed a few times by the beach patrol because my 7&8 yr olds were playing in the sand and a cranky cabana lady complained. Please note the children were at least a 100yds from her and not bothering anyone, just sitting and playing.	9/1/2021 7:46 AM
76	Parking is what makes this 4 stars	9/1/2021 7:35 AM
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	keeping local families away.	
86	Beach is nice. Your people are not	8/31/2021 10:16 PM
87	Aside from the South Pavillion bathrooms that need attention, we love the Town Beach. The lifeguards are fantastic and I always feel safe bringing my kids to the beach.	8/31/2021 10:06 PM
88	Love town beach!	8/31/2021 9:39 PM
89	love it Love having a parking spot what ever time I arrive!	8/31/2021 9:04 PM
90	Plans should be in place before the beach is officially opened to prevent the situation that occurred this year.	8/31/2021 8:36 PM
91	Frightened by the RIOT ON THE BEACH IN MAY, I worried about taking my 4 Grandchildren all ages 5,3,3 & 2. I commend the Staff for doing a fabulous job of alleviating my fears!	8/31/2021 8:32 PM
92	But playing loud music should be prohibited.	8/31/2021 8:20 PM
93	We love the beach	8/31/2021 8:20 PM
94	You need to allow neighboring towns to have some parking options.	8/31/2021 8:15 PM
95	It is the best beach in RI but its a shame locals can't use it I definitely support Narragansett financially.	8/31/2021 8:14 PM
96	I feel you should offer military discounts to residents/non residents.	8/31/2021 8:07 PM
97	It's unacceptable to tell kids they can't play ball up near the cabanas when no one or very few are sitting up there. They're good at keeping away from other patrons and never hit anyone with a ball, yet they were consistently shooed away because cranks were "worried" they "might" get hit at some indeterminate point in the future. Let the kids have fun if they aren't hurting/bothering anyone, that's why they're there.	8/31/2021 7:57 PM
98	But a lonely one since it so expensive and costly to host family and friends.	8/31/2021 7:53 PM
99	Great job this summer however all the chatter about rule changes was distracting. As a tax payer one of my rights is priority to my town beach.	8/31/2021 7:16 PM
100	See other comments	8/31/2021 7:16 PM
101	Like that it wasn't as over crowded as last year.	8/31/2021 7:10 PM
102	Still to many playing ball and using skim boards in front of life guards and only with my complaining did life guards asking them to stop. I don't feel life guards know what rules are or they just let kids get away with what ever they want. I understand any thing behind life guards is beach management jurisdiction but anything in front or beside lifeguards is there responsibility.	8/31/2021 7:02 PM
103	We watch several people jump off the wall onto the beach. We approached the "security staff" asking if they monitored or did anything about the jumpers. The 2 young men said their job was to watch the cash box. They were disappointing and previously the young people shared that they try to monitor the wall. We need to be better with this. The customer service was really poor with these 2 young men.	8/31/2021 6:36 PM
104	Beautiful beach, please ensure the publicly-owned portion can continue to be enjoyed by all Rhode Islanders. Coastal access is NOT exclusively a local issue per courts. Think holisticly about coastal access across Narragansett rather than ignoring the goals of the Harbor Mgt Plan. Keep your coastal access committee in place. They've already done great things.	8/31/2021 5:41 PM
105	No experience, as I do not attend due to overwhelming overcrowding , 6 SUMMERS s of being pushed off my TOWN BEACH	8/31/2021 5:30 PM
106	I swim even when cold and overcast, and need to use the outdoor showers after my swim. On some occasions, the outdoor showers were not operating in such weather conditions.	8/31/2021 5:27 PM
107	Due to shifting of life guard chairs there is no easy access to the north pavilion on busey days. we should rope off a designate lane for access and handicap.	8/31/2021 5:26 PM
108	The fact that "rule breakers" such as those playing ball in non designated areas were not corrected by staff (esp. lifeguards)-playing areas (near swimmers, on top of other beachgoees)	8/31/2021 5:12 PM

109	Cabana area at chair 6 seemed to be somtimes overrun with teens	8/31/2021 4:51 PM		
110	Parking and unwelcoming. Charging to get on a beach is ridiculous. Charge for parking only.	8/31/2021 4:36 PM		
111	transferable pass at \$100 is expensive.			
112	The beach is great. NPRA is wrong and racist, they should never be allowed to give any sort of opinion anyway. Always listen to the year round residents and not the people from Connecticut who stay here a few weekends a summer.	8/31/2021 4:12 PM		
113	So glad to see the police protrols - do not like to see large crowds of yound people drinking - Narr beach used to be a familiy beach	8/31/2021 4:03 PM		
114	The beach is great— I wish it could be more accessible to non residents after 5	8/31/2021 3:45 PM		
115	Everyone is always pleasant! Please keep it up! Thank You!	8/31/2021 3:41 PM		
116	Beautiful beach and appreciate the rounding. Maybe next year have the beach partially monitored prior to official season so no issues occur that had a small group upset only recommended approach to be proactive next year thank you!! Great job!	8/31/2021 3:40 PM		
117	Hours and policies are not clearly posted on the website	8/31/2021 3:21 PM		
118	Too crowded. We used the stat beaches 5 to 1 vs the town beach.	8/31/2021 3:05 PM		
119	I have to remind myself it's a public beach. I've never seen the beach so beautiful or well run. I would be happy to chat more about my experience	8/31/2021 3:05 PM		
120	Other than wishing I had a locker, everything was excellent!	8/31/2021 3:05 PM		
121	I love our beach!!!	8/31/2021 3:02 PM		
122	far too many people allowed on the beachout of towners should used the state beaches in town	8/31/2021 2:44 PM		
123	As an SK resident I can only give one star here because I was only able to access the beach once, despite trying weekly, due to a lack of parking.	8/31/2021 2:33 PM		
124	I would like to see the blue mat made wider for the flow of people one side being wide enough for two people to go down the mat and two people to walk up the map with directional arrows. I 1	8/31/2021 2:22 PM		
125	Parking was easy. The attendants were polite and helpful. Nice summer	8/31/2021 2:04 PM		
126	Very special place. Residents should not have to pay to go to the beach	8/31/2021 1:59 PM		
127	Keep restrooms open to 8:00 PM or dusk whichever is earlier	8/31/2021 1:58 PM		
128	wish there was a designated space or designated time for dogs and owners in the summer season	8/31/2021 1:02 PM		
129	It is the BEST beach!!! The lifeguard bathing suits are too neutral in color. They don't stand out.	8/31/2021 12:45 PM		
130	Just expensive	8/31/2021 12:15 PM		
131	I wish it was simpler to bring guests. the transferrable pass is too pricey.	8/31/2021 12:09 PM		
132	GREAT staff	8/31/2021 12:05 PM		
133	I have one complaint. In past seasons, lifeguard chair #5 was located straight down from the Pavillion blue walk way. This meant that folks walking left or right would go straight to the water line and then head left or right to their preferred location. By relocating Chair 5, you have caused people to meander through ther crowd in a very disruptive way, in addition to creating a cluttered walk way for the elderly and less mobile folks. Please reconsider this for next year!!!	8/31/2021 11:47 AM		
134	it would have been 5 stars but there was little attempt to stop ball playing in and around the water and a few times we ended up around blaring radios.	8/31/2021 11:38 AM		
135	If it were not for the large numbers of camp kids, I would have said "Excellent"	8/31/2021 11:37 AM		
136	Young patron still forming large groups near the cabanas and using fowl language, smoking	8/31/2021 11:37 AM		

weed and playing loud filthy music,

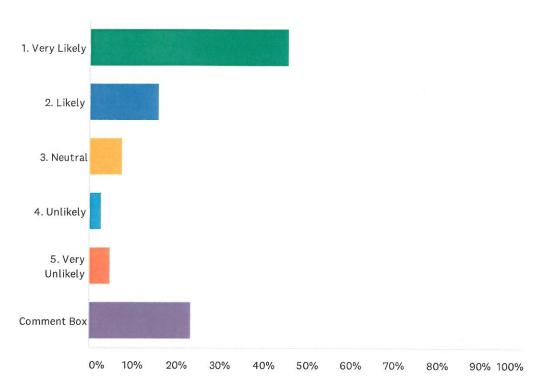
	most and playing load many master,	
137	Such a clean and fun beach.	8/31/2021 11:20 AM
138	Quite expensive and not sure i can continue to afford- but the experience was great	8/31/2021 11:17 AM
139	I'd rate it better but it is too crowded.	8/31/2021 11:14 AM
140	Much more crowded this year.	8/31/2021 11:13 AM
141	Just wish it wasn't so crowded so we didn't have to get there so early to be close to the water! But that's because it's such a beautiful beach everyone wants to be there!	8/31/2021 11:12 AM
142	We are blessed to have such an amazing beach, facility, team and guards.	8/31/2021 11:10 AM
143	Bag check was very random, not every person!	8/31/2021 11:07 AM
144	Love Narragansett beach employees are always very good and polite!The lifeguards go over and above protecting the patrons at NARRAGANSETT TOWN BEACH	8/31/2021 11:05 AM
145	It's my happy place!	8/31/2021 11:02 AM
146	Way too many people. Seemingly out of towners, day passes. The beach policies should be focused on residents, not day passes even if that results in a loss of revenues	8/31/2021 11:00 AM
147	Foot wash at north needs help, the only good one is very often no there or not working , others are very poor. This needs attention.thanks	8/31/2021 10:52 AM
148	Bill Eckert and the entire beach staff provide excellent customer service, clean and safe facilities along with a well trained excellent lifeguard staff. Their daily tireless work efforts along with the folks who rake the beach are what makes Narragansett Town Beach the best beach in the state.	8/31/2021 10:49 AM
149	would like to have walkway extend to the high tide mark for people with limited obility	8/31/2021 10:31 AM
150	It's a great place, well managed, friendly, safe, fun	8/31/2021 10:30 AM
151	Please put walking cover (deck)over path to beach entrance from north lot over sand path	8/31/2021 10:26 AM
152	I do avoid the beach on weekends due to crowding	8/31/2021 10:24 AM
153	Great beach	8/31/2021 10:18 AM
154	Professional emergency attention from lifeguard staff when needed this summer, and assistance with children during an emergency situation.	8/31/2021 10:10 AM
155	I dread the return of the dogs, it ruins the September and October beach experience.	8/31/2021 10:06 AM
156	As a resident, the beach is great. Love it. It is well groomed and clean, and most days there is enough parking. Staff are welcoming and the atmosphere is relaxing. For my family/friends that are not residents, its too expensive - parking plus admission onto the beach adds up quickly for a family of 4. We go to state beaches (Sand Hill) when they come down. I suppose this is by design in order to limit overcrowding, and I appreciate that residents get preferred treatment, as they shouldtown resident = town beach.	8/31/2021 10:06 AM
157	I appreciate the info emails about hurricane issues etc. Keep the listserv.	8/31/2021 10:03 AM
158	Great job this year.	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
159	Love this beach—even with its resident(for a day) thresher shark.	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
160	Best beach, best staff, best lifeguards. what else needs to be said?	8/31/2021 9:55 AM
161	too crowded	8/31/2021 9:54 AM
162	An incredible facility and team/staff.	8/31/2021 9:53 AM
163	I think the non-resident daily beach fees can probably be a little higher.	8/31/2021 9:50 AM
164	The beach is still too crowded sometimes, but is much better than it has been in the past.	8/31/2021 9:49 AM
165	still too crowded	8/31/2021 9:48 AM
166	Really like the Del's option. Can you expand that to include other food options for some	8/31/2021 9:43 AM

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167	My only complaint is after 6 pm rules are not followed. I've had to move due to cigar smoke and dogs arrive with people even though they're not allowed May-Sept.	8/31/2021 9:39 AM
168	Keeping the bathrooms locked until the beach opens is RIDICULOUS!!! We taxpayers walk the beach in the morning. That seems more of a Power move.	8/31/2021 9:34 AM
169	The only complaint that I have is cabana people yelling at my young children that they can't play on the beach in front of cabanas.	8/31/2021 9:33 AM
170	My only comment is I think they give the surfers way too much space, especially in day when there are little or no waves and few surfers	8/31/2021 9:28 AM
171	Management really needs to enforce no ball playing at the beach. They totally ignored it especially at the chair 6 and horseshoe area.	8/31/2021 9:27 AM
172	In future I think the town should follow the water ban rules more closely	8/31/2021 9:26 AM
173	excellent experience except for the constant screaming in the loud speaker	8/31/2021 9:25 AM
174	The beach gets extremely crowded.	8/31/2021 9:25 AM

# Q12 How likely is it that you would recommend Narragansett Town Beach to a friend or colleague? Please elaborate on your answer in he comment box.





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1. Very Likely	45.72%	454
2. Likely	15.91%	158
3. Neutral	7.45%	74
4. Unlikely	2.62%	26
5. Very Unlikely	4.83%	48
Comment Box	23.46%	233
TOTAL		993

#	COMMENT BOX	DATE
1	Recommended for Town Residents	9/17/2021 11:40 AM
2	The beach is beautiful and must of the staff is great. Sales office is still slow but improving.	9/15/2021 11:01 PM
3	Not sure how to answer. Beach & staff wonderful. Dissatisfied when overcrowding and it is not town residents. Very upset with dog owners. It wasn't even 9/15. No enforcement. Surfer area too big. Please do not expand any more. Thanks	9/14/2021 10:20 PM
4	too many people already	9/13/2021 2:46 PM
5	Do not want more people coming. Already crowded!	9/13/2021 1:10 PM

6	Cleanest beach in RI	9/13/2021 10:48 AM
7	Narragansett beach is the most beautiful beach in RI, but I am reluctant to recommend it due to the overcrowding.	9/13/2021 10:00 AM
8	Family atmosphere, clean & well maintained beach & facilities. Thanks for a great season!	9/11/2021 11:33 PM
9	Limit the number of patrons onto the beach	9/11/2021 4:32 PM
10	I don't usually tell people to come - for it's a parking nightmare - costly - and the walk on fee is nuts. So - if they aren't riding with me - I don't really tell people to come.	9/9/2021 10:01 PM
11	I would recommend this wonderful beach to residents and taxpayer first with limited visitor access.	9/9/2021 9:23 PM
12	The town beach is already crowded enough. Why would we as a town want to destroy such a natural resource by overpopulating it. It is not in the resident's best interest to use our town beach constantly in order to draw tourists to our town. The residents are so unhappy with the congestion at the pier and all of the numerous activities that go on day and night. Ask any resident what their favorite day of the year is and they say Labor Day because we no longer have to put up with constant congestion throughout our town. It is overdone!!! Activities must be scaled back. Our infrastructure cannot support all of these activities and excessive amounts of people in our area. On June 1st of each year we have an outdoor water ban! Scarborough has been closed often this summer due to high bacteria. The water in town is not safe to drink. The car accidnnts are on the rise. Traffic on Ocean Rd and Rt 108 are completely jammed ALL the time.On and on I could go.Please let's not destroy the natural beauty we all cherish!!!!	9/9/2021 2:15 PM
13	I would like to keep the beach as peaceful and tranquil as possible should be the goal, exploiting the beauty of the beach for profit, political purposes/causes or any other reason will be detrimental in the long run.	9/9/2021 1:55 PM
14	It's already too crowded with out of town folks. There should be a limit to the amount of daily non-residents/taxpayers.	9/9/2021 11:26 AM
15	We welcome non residents to the town beach, however it is A TOWN BEACH, not public as Jesse Pugh states. Residents enjoyment of a safe and non crowded beach should be the town's priority NOT keeping rates low so on residents save money	9/9/2021 10:07 AM
16	The May incident at the cabanas was entirely predictable by observing the beach by 9am that day. NPD should have a much more prominent presence on the beach and directing traffic in the parking lots on hot weekends in May and September	9/8/2021 7:05 PM
17	I would recommend the NTB to others, but mostly if they are Narragansett residents.	9/8/2021 4:43 PM
18	Expensive and there are nicer beaches. Staff is visible but only a few seem to work.	9/8/2021 11:45 AM
19	We have always loved Town Beach but the last few years it has gone down hill. It has gotten so crowded with non paying people who sneak in before hours and the parking lot is open to everyone too soon.	9/8/2021 10:18 AM
20	Very happy but don't want more people there =)	9/8/2021 8:50 AM
21	Overall, very good. Every single employee (inc. Manager) or service staff should be parking in West Lot as there were times that there was no resident parking available	9/8/2021 8:47 AM
22	We have too many patrons already. Tjis is a town beach, but we are inundated by out-of-town visitors.	9/8/2021 12:16 AM
23	LOVE the beach but wouldn't recommend as it's too expensive if you are not a resident.	9/8/2021 12:07 AM
24	The beach itself is well-maintained and the water is nice. But staff at the beach office is rude (and has been for the last several years), and the parking restrictions for non residents are ridiculous.	9/7/2021 11:16 PM
25	It is too expensive for non-residents to go to the beach. The cost for admission plus the cost for parking makes it prohibitive	9/7/2021 8:34 PM
26	Would advise them not to go on weekends or very early in the AM	9/7/2021 4:50 PM
27	However I have reservations. Friends who want to buy in Narragansett are looking for a town	9/7/2021 4:23 PM

	environment. The town council seems to want the beach to be a state or county beach. This is not acceptable to me or potential buyers. More full time residents are moving in and the town must accommodate the mentality that it is a town not a county or state beach.	
28	Why, as a taxpaying resident would we talk up our town beach to more people so we cn keep addin to the overcrowding problem?	9/7/2021 12:59 PM
29	I am only neutral on this because of overcrowding.	9/7/2021 12:54 PM
30	But pricey for non residents who have to park and pay to walk on. Would be nice to see a discount if you pay to park maybe half price to walk on? For driver at least?	9/7/2021 10:54 AM
31	Not likely as I don't want it overrun	9/7/2021 9:10 AM
32	Too crowded. To political. One current town council member thinks it's her re - election season every day. Kind hard to get away from it all when that happens. Also concerning is the amount of alcohol allowed on the beach and the vaping of marijuana as well. Realize they are both legal but against Town Beach policy. Back in the day you'd be surrounded by cigarette smokers. Not any more. Weekends are difficult to enjoy. Weekdays are better at times.	9/7/2021 7:56 AM
33	there are many beaches to choose from in RI - it all depends on the person's needs - Narragansett Beach IS EXPENSIVE to bring non-residents on the beach for a day - 2 people at \$24 for 3 hours.	9/7/2021 7:27 AM
34	Daily admission is too high	9/6/2021 10:03 PM
35	Thanks for a wonderful season!!	9/6/2021 8:20 PM
36	All responsible town residents should take priority on our town beach	9/6/2021 7:29 PM
37	Stop people from entering without paying. Easily done by beach patrol seeing that all beach goers have beach pass or bracelet. If no bracelet give them opportunity to go purchase one or leave. This should be part of their job.	9/6/2021 5:13 PM
38	I purchased an extra pass to bring a friend. I feel the beach is very crowded and the number of people on the beach should be people per sq foot. I also know people who create their own passes and put in in a lance and just walk in all summer. They drop off folks and one member of the group drive to the elementary schoolparks the car and takes off a bike from his rack and rides back to the beach and puts the bike on the rack. When read to leave reverses the process.	9/5/2021 8:26 PM
39	Favorite beach	9/5/2021 11:29 AM
40	I'd warn anyone that they'd need to be prepared to put your armload of beach stuff down and allow a cooler search and then have to pick everything up AGAIN to get onto the beach and i would warn them that the announcements for "no ball playing " and "no smoking or drinking " are loud and way too frequent	9/5/2021 9:45 AM
41	What would I be recommending that they come to the beach?	9/5/2021 1:52 AM
42	I love our town beach!	9/4/2021 9:23 PM
43	However, the guest passes residents can purchase are expensive so for friends to pay daily admission it is expensive.	9/4/2021 7:12 PM
44	too expensive, go to state beaches	9/4/2021 6:15 PM
45	Too many people already .	9/4/2021 5:38 PM
46	Unless they live here I can't see paying all the fees to get on the beach when there are very close by alternatives	9/4/2021 1:07 PM
47	If they are a taxpayer, they will most likely use the beach. If they're not a taxpayer, why would I recommend it? They can't get a pass. It would be too expensive to pay daily. I use the state beaches when my family visits. It's too costly to take people to town beach.	9/4/2021 12:25 PM
48	i would for resident/property owners. too many out of town people think Narragansett beach is a STATE beach, they feel it is their right to go to our beach when in fact it is a privilege we extent to our guests.	9/4/2021 10:44 AM
49	I never recommend because I do not want others to come	9/4/2021 9:45 AM

50	Have lived here my entire lifethis year the lifeguards were fine & beach looked nice - beyond that - no one went out of their way. Meh. If you want a better answereither do better to focus on providing a service & good environment- or don't ask. No one there even tries to be friendly to families, elderly etclifeguard (top around) should act like mentors maybe? Not like supermodels. Say HELLO - SAY HOW ARE YOU? Same to gate staff. It isn't hard to be nice. Putting 2-3 teens checking passes - they don't even acknowledge people when they walk in no 'have fun' 'have a good day' or 'big waves, be careful' nothing. Ok. That's all.	9/4/2021 2:24 AM
51	It is very unwelcoming to tourists and guests of resident taxpayers. I been to some of the most beautiful beaches in the country, this beach is tremendously overpriced, underwhelming, and just poorly developed in it's antiquated practices.	9/4/2021 12:19 AM
52	If you are not a resident it is becoming increasingly expensive and difficult to access the Town Beach. The beach is for everyone and individuals should not be excluded overtly.	9/3/2021 12:08 PM
53	For selfish reasons I always tell people to go to another beach :)	9/3/2021 10:38 AM
54	Residents only. Increase the fee for non- residents.	9/3/2021 9:05 AM
55	TOO EXPENSIVE, ELITIST BEACH	9/3/2021 7:09 AM
56	Expensive	9/3/2021 3:10 AM
57	Guests are too expensive.	9/2/2021 8:59 PM
58	During busy times when cars without a sticker pull into the lot attendants should have them pull around and head towards the exit first THEN give information. When they give information as the car pulls into the lot it causes a dangerous back up onto the road.	9/2/2021 8:44 PM
59	This should not be a question. Everyone knows this is the best beach in RI and we LOVE that it favors Narragansett residents. Therefore its hard to recommend a beach to a friend/family that is not (easily) accessible to them (and we like it that way)!!!!	9/2/2021 5:24 PM
60	I would definitely recommend Narragansett Town Beach to other Taxpayer/Residents.	9/2/2021 4:55 PM
61	very unlikely but if you asked me 5 years ago it would have been the only beach I would have recommended. The town is destroying this for others even those that live 5 minutes away year round despite the zipcode being 02879 instead of 02882.	9/2/2021 1:13 PM
62	I would only recommend it to people who are residents of the town.	9/2/2021 11:05 AM
63	If they want to arrive at 7:30am or spend a lot of time searching for parking then sure, it's a nice beach but not sure it's worth the hassle if you'd are coming from a distance.	9/2/2021 11:04 AM
64	only recommend to family and best friends. prefer to keep the beach crowds to a minimum. Like the policies that are keeping more for town residents	9/2/2021 7:38 AM
65	You can't beet this town beach	9/2/2021 7:13 AM
66	Pretty sad and disturbing to watch people lug their belongings and families through the roads to the empty parking lot.	9/2/2021 6:37 AM
67	prefer not to have even more people attend this beach; don't want to promote over crowding	9/2/2021 5:09 AM
68	NTB should be more accessible to non residents, as much of the town's businesses rely on nonresident visitors.	9/1/2021 11:20 PM
69	This north lot closed til 8 has created an (self-inflicted) unsafe situation in the south lot. It makes no sense. And honestly doesn't seem to lighten the load of people on the beach either? Create an economic gateway for your neighbors to access the beach. Just like there is a gateway for you with the trash center.;)	9/1/2021 10:41 PM
70	Too expensive	9/1/2021 9:47 PM
71	The large cards are a deterrent.	9/1/2021 9:33 PM
72	The Narragansett Town Beach is in my opinion the finest beach facility in the State of RI. Great sand, great waves, best lifeguards and the beach staff is excellent.	9/1/2021 9:11 PM
73	Too crowded year after year	9/1/2021 8:23 PM
74	Already too crowded. Need to keep beach for residents. It use to be a well kept secret. Wish it	9/1/2021 8:22 PM

2021 Narragansett Beach Survey still were. But the parking is ridiculous and the daily rate is crazy. Only way to make it worth it is to go 75 9/1/2021 8:18 PM before or after the hours that they charge I would be very likely to recommend the beach to a friend. It is much better than visiting the 76 9/1/2021 7:29 PM dirty disgusting library in this town I really think we need to upgrade it to a brand new multimillion dollar one because the current one made me sick. I don't think this is a burden for the taxpayer unless the taxpayer is low income but I guess we should probably form a new committee in town to add affordable housing for low income people so they can better afford their taxes. 77 except for the expensive parking rates and passes 9/1/2021 4:45 PM Best beach in RI. Much thanks for the new blue mat walkway going onto beach---so awesome 78 9/1/2021 3:59 PM Would not recommend to anyone other than residents as the Beach gets too overcrowded at 79 9/1/2021 2:08 PM times I recommend with the warning - you have to pay to park and pay to walk on the beach. 80 9/1/2021 2:00 PM Response is always "WHAT????" We appreciate all the hard work of the beach staff and we enjoyed attending some of the 81 9/1/2021 1:50 PM outdoor concerts. Perhaps hiring bands with more current music would attract a greater span of age groups to these events. Of course it is the best beach! BTW in this survey it is hard to go back to proofread our 82 9/1/2021 1:31 PM comments 83 Keep it local 9/1/2021 1:29 PM Would recommend more if there were better options for parking for South Kingstown 84 9/1/2021 1:17 PM 85 No comment 9/1/2021 12:57 PM We enjoy our time at NTB but their are lots of beautiful beaches in RI that are less restrictive. 86 9/1/2021 12:44 PM Social Media has ruined. I won't tell anyone about it anymore. Want it for ourselves. Sorry. Too 87 9/1/2021 12:28 PM overcrowded. 88 One suggestion: everyone seems to be using those beach wagons. The blue walkway used to 9/1/2021 12:23 PM be lined up with Chair 5 so that you rolled down and went right onto the hard sand to "roll" (right by the empty space of the Chair. Now people pile up at the end of the walkway and wagons are weaving and dodging blankets. Line up the blue walkway with a life guard chair 89 Very likely! 0/1/2021 11·57 AM 90 91 92 93 94 95

09	very likely!	9/1/2021 11:57 AM
90	Would love the beach to be for residents only	9/1/2021 11:55 AM
91	Nice beach, difficult to access and expensive	9/1/2021 11:55 AM
92	Love seeing neighbors	9/1/2021 11:55 AM
93	Friends & family love the cleanliness and welcoming atmosphere	9/1/2021 11:32 AM
94	Hands-down, the best water quality of anywhere in RI. Just wish it would be a little more affordable/accessible to Rhode Island residents that may not reside in Narragansett.	9/1/2021 11:31 AM
95	Too crowded already.	9/1/2021 11:20 AM
96	As above too crowded with outsiders	9/1/2021 11:05 AM
97	It has steadily gone downhill and I am embarrassed that the community that I have served over the past 30 years is such a disgrace.	9/1/2021 10:28 AM
98	As an SK resident, I no longer go to Narragansett Beach. Congrats, your unfriendliness to SK residents has made the beach less crowded for the out-of-towners.	9/1/2021 10:13 AM
99	too expensive for what you get	9/1/2021 9:53 AM
100	It is my favorite beach hands down	9/1/2021 9:45 AM
101	Very expensive for nonresidents	9/1/2021 9:17 AM
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102	Beach is great - concerned with it being too popular with non-residents and it becoming too crowded. Tough balance.	9/1/2021 9:03 AM
103	Sorry but if you don't own property in Narragansett you should not be allowed at this beach.	9/1/2021 9:00 AM
104	Too expensive/hard to access for non-residents.	9/1/2021 8:42 AM
105	It's not very convenient to anyone that is not a town resident, and not convenient for patrons of businesses that use the beach.	9/1/2021 8:34 AM
106	Unlikely, again because of the cost and parking issues. I have so many fond memories from the mid-00's when it was affordable and accessible but now I recommend people to free beaches instead	9/1/2021 8:30 AM
107	It's not worth it. Parking for non town residents is awful. Should spend your money elsewhere.	9/1/2021 8:25 AM
108	I love our beach the town should pay more attention to beach erosion from storms or we won't have the beautiful beach we have!	9/1/2021 8:21 AM
109	Very expensive	9/1/2021 7:59 AM
110	Friends and family who liv just over the border, or coming to visit should not have to pay so much to access our beach. I would not recommend because of this. should not	9/1/2021 7:35 AM
111	We live just over the town line. Few up going to this beach. Now it's so insanely expensive we wont be back. It's a shame.	9/1/2021 7:12 AM
112	The Pier is still the best beach and the lifeguards are very polite and helpful. Allan Carter.	9/1/2021 6:54 AM
113	It has become too snotty and the town has treated non- residents poorly for too many years. It never used to be this way, as a teenager I went all the time with a very reasonably priced non-resident season pass.	9/1/2021 6:54 AM
114	Neutral due high cost of parking and daily walk on fees if not a resident.	9/1/2021 6:43 AM
115	Many days very crowded but staff dies a great jjob	9/1/2021 6:19 AM
116	with limitation, want to keep beach safe for all	9/1/2021 5:54 AM
117	Getting very expensive. \$12 to walk on the each seems too much.	9/1/2021 5:53 AM
118	As stated, SK full time residents are treated as second class citizens instead of neighbors. Narr and SK share so many resources between the two towns but the sharing stops at the beach. I think it is unfair that some sort of reciprocity agreement doesn't extend to the SK population. Narr seems to care more about pleasing their NY and CT counterparts than their own neighbors next door.	9/1/2021 5:14 AM
119	There is no parking for non residents so it is quite challenging to 'invite' friends to the beach.	9/1/2021 3:19 AM
120	you need to limit number of people on beach. don't allow dogs in off season	8/31/2021 11:54 PM
121	If my friends don't live here I would say don't come there is no where to park if your not a resident	8/31/2021 11:48 PM
122	I wouldn't recommend it because it is already too crowded	8/31/2021 10:43 PM
123	Great beach, real pain in the ass to go to if you aren't a resident.	8/31/2021 10:23 PM
124	Will tell them it's the best beach in Narragansett, but it's expensive for day trippers!	8/31/2021 10:18 PM
125	Best beach in the northeast!	8/31/2021 10:14 PM
126	Whenever friend or family come for the first time they love all the beach has to offer. The increase in price has helped to keep the crowds down and attract people who care of a pleasant beach experience.	8/31/2021 10:06 PM
127	Nice beach, but way too expensive to recommend to people. I always warn about the price and recommend other options.	8/31/2021 9:27 PM
128	Too many issues	8/31/2021 9:22 PM
129	Other beaches are much less crowded and less expensive and nicer	8/31/2021 9:19 PM

130	i have to pay to watch my grandkids take surfing lessons that i paid for???	8/31/2021 9:09 PM
131	Much much too crowded to really enjoy a day.	8/31/2021 8:58 PM
132	Like the beach but not friendly to people from SK	8/31/2021 8:55 PM
133	The beach is fabulous but is too crowded; I feel it should be for town residents only	8/31/2021 8:42 PM
134	Limited access	8/31/2021 8:21 PM
135	I do not make recommendations.	8/31/2021 8:20 PM
136	very likely, but I like it to remain uncrowded and not abused by non residents.	8/31/2021 8:07 PM
137	But why bother if they can't get a pass.	8/31/2021 7:51 PM
138	With the lifeguard chairs being moved this year the blue walk way was a lot harder to navigate. When you have beach carts and wagons, strollers it was difficult to make it around people who sat right at the end of the blue walk way. I wish the walkway would go down further to accommodate strollers and disabled.	8/31/2021 7:45 PM
139	I pretty much feel that it is a town beach and not a state beach	8/31/2021 7:10 PM
140	I absolutely love Narragansett beach but I do not want it opened to outsiders.	8/31/2021 7:02 PM
141	They can't park anywhere	8/31/2021 6:50 PM
142	If you're not a resident, parking is difficult.	8/31/2021 6:36 PM
143	But keep the parking limited	8/31/2021 6:16 PM
144	I love our beach!	8/31/2021 6:14 PM
145	Stop charging Rhode Islanders to access our coastline! It's our constitutional right. Paying to park is already outrageous enough, let alone paying to walk onto the beach.	8/31/2021 6:05 PM
146	Please respect the access goals in your town Harbor Management Plan. Current TC was wise to stand up a Coastal Access Improvement Committee in spite of pushback. Be an example	8/31/2021 5:41 PM
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160	Neutral due to costs	8/31/2021 3:36 PM
161	I don't like the idea of extending beach parking and passes to out of town residents., like SK. They have their own beaches	8/31/2021 3:10 PM
162	Too crowded	8/31/2021 3:05 PM
163	Too crowded now. Why would you encourage more people?	8/31/2021 3:04 PM
164	Just earn regarding cost to walk on beach	8/31/2021 3:03 PM
165	Overpriced	8/31/2021 3:03 PM
166	I am selecting neutral only because beach does not need any more people on it. It's inundated as it is now.	8/31/2021 2:52 PM
167	Too crowded	8/31/2021 2:52 PM
168	If they came as a guest	8/31/2021 2:47 PM
169	Too many people	8/31/2021 2:44 PM
170	too crowded	8/31/2021 2:44 PM
171	Too many rules, too expensive	8/31/2021 2:44 PM
172	Access is a huge problem.	8/31/2021 2:37 PM
173	I would hate for others to travel to such a beautiful beach only to be turned away due to a lack of parking, while resident only lots sit half empty.	8/31/2021 2:33 PM
174	Too expensive, RI residents have a constitutional right to walk, fish and gather seaweed free of charge beach free of charge	8/31/2021 2:33 PM
175	I love my NTB! Thanks for a terrific summer	8/31/2021 2:29 PM
176	I would only recommend to our town residence. We do not need non residence invading our town beach	8/31/2021 2:19 PM
177	Have loved the beach for the past 30 years. I think we allow others to play the music too loud, still to much ballplaying and inconsistent enforcement. Occasional drinking and smoking that never gets addressed.	8/31/2021 2:08 PM
178	Best beach in ri	8/31/2021 2:04 PM
179	Would recommend if they didn't have to pay	8/31/2021 1:59 PM
180	except we don't want it to be TOO crowded!	8/31/2021 1:02 PM
181	too many people there already; would not recommend	8/31/2021 12:16 PM
182	Great beach but becoming more crowded each year either tourists $\ensuremath{\mathbb{I}}$	8/31/2021 12:15 PM
183	unless they live here, its pointless, too cumbersome to attend	8/31/2021 12:09 PM
184	Difficult to get on for a non resident.	8/31/2021 12:06 PM
185	It's the best beach in the state.	8/31/2021 11:59 AM
186	very likely if it is not too crowded	8/31/2021 11:56 AM
187	Would not recommend! The less that know about this beach the better for those of us who enjoy it!	8/31/2021 11:47 AM
188	Unlikely unless policy is changed to welcome visitors	8/31/2021 11:43 AM
189	Hard to recommend with the high price-	8/31/2021 11:17 AM
190	You need to watch the density of crowds as it increased this year and will in future.	8/31/2021 11:13 AM
191	I'd prefer to keep our little piece of Paradise to ourselves!!	8/31/2021 11:07 AM

192	It is extremely expensive for non-residents. Unless I was driving them and paying for a family of 4 I would not recommend. Too bad, because it is a beautiful beach. Also, as a former non-resident I'm sorry to know that coming in the late afternoon goes beyond 5:00. It's a good time for non-residents to take advantage of our beach. Consider changing for next year because it might bring a little economic and racial diversity to our community.	8/31/2021 11:05 AM
193	Recommend to residents only as beach is busy already	8/31/2021 10:59 AM
194	I think our town beach, should be exactly that - Narragansett Town Beach. As a resident that supports the community all year long, I believe myself and other full time residents should have first priority. Period. There are enough state beaches in the immediate area to accommodate non-Narragansett residents. Thank you.	8/31/2021 10:45 AM
195	How to I recommend the beach when I pay for passes ans parking and I can't get on the beach, and when I finally do it's dirty, over packed and fights are happening? I am embarrassed of my town. I truly feel all, no matter where they live should enjoy our beach but when I can't enjoy it I can't recommend it. We need to do better	8/31/2021 10:43 AM
196	Expensive for non residents. Best beach by far but to some that may not matter	8/31/2021 10:40 AM
197	I love it, but want less people here, so shhhhh	8/31/2021 10:38 AM
198	No need for more outsiders	8/31/2021 10:33 AM
199	Not Likely! Crowded enough!	8/31/2021 10:22 AM
200	Great beach	8/31/2021 10:18 AM
201	However, it was too crowded on weekends. I would prefer you double the cost for non residents and even if you get half the number of non-residents, you would still have same revenue.	8/31/2021 10:16 AM
202	I love our beach - and I don't mind sharing with non-residents. Please don't make it too expensive for visitors.	8/31/2021 10:11 AM
203	As always, a great summer with great facilities and designated area to surf. Wonderful time with kids and friends. Can't wait until next summer!	8/31/2021 10:10 AM
204	Best RI beach!	8/31/2021 10:10 AM
205	Such a great beach!! My summer favorite	8/31/2021 10:07 AM
206	Would definitely recommend, except for the cost for non-residents. Has the idea of resident guest passes been considered?	8/31/2021 10:06 AM
207	why? It is a town beach and town residents know of it.	8/31/2021 10:00 AM
208	Very likely though I hate to increase numbers on the crowded beach. This place is the best.	8/31/2021 9:57 AM
209	Need to keep this a secret for as long as we can ;-P	8/31/2021 9:55 AM
210	From a quality/safety/cleanliness perspective, yes I would recommend NTB. However, the prices charged for access to the beach are insanely high. I understand there is a cost to supplying facilities and maintaining the beach's appearance, but the clear cash grab is ridiculous. Its becoming more difficult to afford the beach each year especially when you consider cost for non residence. People (no matter where they live) should be able to have access to the NTB for at a reasonable price.	8/31/2021 9:53 AM
211	Surfers area is too large. Flags should be moved over	8/31/2021 9:53 AM
212	Cost is too high for non-resident family members. That cost should be lowered	8/31/2021 9:51 AM
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214	Extremely Likely - thank you for a great season!	8/31/2021 9:50 AM
215	We think the policies have struck the right balance between public access and keeping the beach primarily a town beach. The capacity of the beach does not satisfy the demand for it, but overcrowding causes many problems, including safety issues.	8/31/2021 9:49 AM
216	still too crowded	8/31/2021 9:48 AM
217	It is expensive if you're not a town resident	8/31/2021 9:47 AM

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